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It's been a long time coming



Snowmobilers in western Maine had to wait many years before they had a safe way to cross the Androscoggin River in Bethel, and when the long-awaited recreational bridge here finally opened in late 2005, the snow suddenly stopped co-operating. The 2005-2006 season was notable for its lack of snow, and the first half of this winter followed up in similar fashion. But finally, last Friday, a small storm provided a few inches of snow to bolster the thin base on which snowmobilers have been riding. By mid-day Saturday, despite biting winds and temperatures in the teens, a trickle, if not a steady stream, of snowmobilers was using the new bridge to cross the river.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)

Taylor winds down after a career of detective work, counterespionage, military intelligence and traffic stops

By ALISON ALOISIO

Last month, after 34 years in law enforcement, Phil Taylor of the Bethel Police Department retired.

During his career, Taylor developed a reputation for faithfully stopping drivers who had expired inspection stickers.

Now that he's retired, he said, "I miss it. I see those blue (expired) stickers, and I can't stop the cars any more."

But Taylor did more in his professional life than watch for windshield stickers.

He also rode the streets of Cold War West Berlin as a military policeman, worked for the Pinkerton Detective Agency, served as an Army Intelligence officer in Vietnam and, when he returned to Maine to work as a police officer, startled foreign drivers by speaking French or German to them.

Franglais and Deutsch Taylor grew up in Auburn,

a city with a large Franco-American population. He and his family, of Irish heritage, learned to speak "Franglais."

"Everyone spoke it. They'd say a few words in French, then in English, then back to French," he said.

From Cold War Berlin, to Vietnam and Bethel.

A teenager when the Korean Conflict started, Taylor anticipated he would be drafted. So at 18 he enlisted, in order to have more control over the role he would play.

He chose the Military Police because, he said, he had had an interest in police work since he was in high school. His best friend's brother-in-law was a policeman in Auburn, so Taylor had some familiarity with the job.

He went off for basic training, and at its conclusion his company was scheduled to ship out to Korea. But before that could happen, the fighting in Korea ended.

Suddenly, instead of going off to a hot war in Asia, Taylor found himself in Cold War West Berlin.

There, in the company of a West German police officer, he patrolled the city's streets.

"The German police were very good," said Taylor. "They were well trained and very professional. I learned a lot from just working with them."

Taylor said that as part of an occupying force, the American MPs had the authority to apprehend West German citizens who had committed crimes against Americans, but it was easier with a German policeman along for the

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Waterford selectmen opt to stand by surcharge on commercial properties

By G.E. TWINE

Waterford selectmen — who previously had said they agreed with the Oxford County Commissioners that a surcharge added to the assessment of commercial property in town was unconstitutional, — have now changed their minds and plan to challenge the commissioners and, if necessary, take up a legal battle.

"We want them to revoke their action and if they don't, we will take them to court," said Selectman Whizzer Wheeler at the Feb. 5 selectmen's meeting.

Waterford adds a 25 percent

surcharge to some commercial properties. The Maine State Constitution says that fair market value must be used.

At the meeting, Wheeler said that Waterford has taken another liberty in regard to the state constitution's.

This deals with the assessment of residential land.

He said if the town drops the surcharge and does a reassessment of commercial land would they also have to reassess residential land.

In Waterford all residential land after the first acre is as-

sessed at \$600 per acre, which is well below fair market value.

Wheeler has said that the commercial surcharge is designed to protect businesses from high taxes, and the \$600 per acre is to help prevent large land owners from divid-

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Newry budget headed upward

By ALISON ALOISIO

Newry selectmen are putting the finishing touches on a municipal budget expected to show a significant increase over last year.

The proposed budget currently totals about \$830,000, according to Loretta Powers, Newry's administrative assistant.

But yet to be included is a proposed appropriation to purchase a new \$340,000 pumper truck for the Fire Department.

The board has not yet determined how much would be taken from the department's Capital Equipment Account and how much from surplus for the purchase.

Last year's municipal budget total was \$691,565, Powers said. (The figure does not include school or county costs.)

A proposed capital improvement project on the upper Sunday River Road accounts for much of the budget increase.

The Board has tentatively earmarked \$150,000 for the Highway Capital Improvement Reserve Account to go toward the work. This represents a

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Switched vote spares MPBN tower lighting from site plan review

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A sharply divided Bethel Planning Board has concluded that the addition of an aircraft-warning light to the Maine Public Broadcasting television antenna at the end of the Bailey Road does not have sufficient impact to qualify as a "change of use."

The ruling means MPBN will not be required to submit the alteration (which also included repainting the tower) to a full-scale site plan review.

The tower is 122 feet tall, on a base elevation of approximately 1,000 feet. It and a signal translator at its base serve to make the MPBN television

signal from Augusta available to viewers in this area who are "on the wrong side of the hills," an MPBN official said last year.

When the tower was erected, in 1983, MPBN believed it was too low to require an aircraft-warning light.

Last year, however, the Federal Aviation Administration was alerted to the existence of the tower, and after a review concluded that the structure penetrated the "glide path" of the Bethel Airport.

The FAA then issued a notice of violation and gave MPBN 30

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Appeals Board upholds a similar decision by planners on F. R. Barn

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Board of Appeals has unanimously upheld a Planning Board decision that various changes that have taken place in recent years at the Funky Red Barn do not constitute a "change of use" as defined by town code.

The Planning Board's decision had been appealed by Mark Egeberg, an abutter of the Summer Street bar and restaurant. The Appeals Board took up the matter at a meeting in January.

Attorney Dana Hanley of South Paris, who is representing Egeberg, argued that the Planning Board's minutes did not adequately reflect the testimony that had been presented regarding the impact of the changes on various performance standards.

The Appeals Board opted to table the matter and adjourned, in order to give board members time to listen to a recording of the earlier Planning Board discussions.

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Letters

STUMBLE ON BROAD STREET

To the Editor:
As Bronsen escorted me on Broad Street during the good weather, I would mutter to him about the pitfalls of the rough and broken sidewalk. He always got me safely down to Main Street, but invariably I would ask him: "What is the historic district of our village coming to? Walking safely almost requires a guide dog!"
Imagine what I had to say to Bronsen upon discovery the chilly evening recently as we hustled along that same sidewalk and our way was illuminated by colored lights — not Christmas lights but beer signs. Of course I said to him: "What is the historic district coming to?" So I asked a friend if Bronsen and I really saw liquor signs on Broad Street, and she replied: "What in the world has happened to the historic district?"
So now there's another reason to stumble on the sidewalk on Broad Street.

Lynn Mason
Bethel

THANKFUL FOR LURC VOTE

To the Editor:
I am truly thankful that LURC's progressive regulations prohibited any zoning change of Maine Mountain Power's land that would have allowed the construction of 30 wind turbines on Redington Mountain and Black Nubble peaks. The applicant didn't demonstrate that its project would fit harmoniously into the existing natural environment, that the change satisfies a demonstrated need in the area, and that the project has no undue adverse impact on existing uses and resources. Clearly, these requirements could not be met.
LURC's charge is to preserve scenic values, resources, and vistas which are coming under increasing pressure, and cannot be replaced, such as the increasing concern of ridgeline development, defining clearing standards, reducing light pollution, fitting projects harmoniously into the landscape, and allowing no adverse impacts on existing uses and resources. They do recognize the tremendous value of our high mountain areas and understand that it is its duty to protect and preserve these resources.
We respect LURC commissioners for abiding by their laws in the face of such huge pressure. Hundreds of us work endlessly to foster an atmosphere where our economy here in western Maine can flourish. We are grateful not to receive a crushing blow to these efforts, not significantly devalue hundreds of homes in western Maine, and not scar our beautiful mountains forever. It's encouraging to know the system does work well here in Maine.

Mary Henderson
Stratton

ARTS COUNCIL THANKS

To the Editor:
The Mahoosuc Arts Council is pleased to announce that during our annual phonathon we reached an unprecedented total of over \$13,000 in pledges. We would like to thank community members and businesses for this extraordinary show of support. Many of you chose to respond to the special gift giving opportunity made possible by former Mahoosuc Arts board member Chris Otten. New gifts and increases to pledges from previous donors made during the phonathon and through the end of the year were matched by Ms. Otten.
Since 1986, the council has been bringing quality programs in the arts and humanities to SAD44 schools and communities. Local support has been vital to our continuation and success. Many thanks to all of you who have donated time, given gifts, offered moral support or attended performances over all of those years.

Vicki Rackliffe
Executive Director, Mahoosuc Arts Council

ROAD ANGELS IN GILEAD

To the Editor:
Here's to Cole's Custom Auto! A great week of skiing almost ended in disaster. In the recent below-zero weather, I started driving down Route 2 after Jason on the staff of the Bethel Inn warmed my cold car. Five miles west of Bethel, the car stopped! A cell call to 911 and the sheriff assured me of help. Bundled up in a sleeping bag and extra sweater, I waited and shivered as only one old car driven by elders bothered to stop — thoughtful Mainers naturally. A half-hour later as I was becoming as frozen as my ice-cube car, a blinking red light appeared. Rescued! I was put into a warm car as the wind-whipped angels struggled to haul my car up a ramp truck and down to Gilead. There is balm in Gilead! And a warm garage floor to thaw us both out.
After a stressful, early a.m. at a nearby house fire, Ken Cole (Gilead Fire Chief) and his helper spent hours working on my car. Kudos to the Coles. We finally thawed out thanks to some Maine Road Angels.
A Grateful Elderhosteler.

Barbara Jorgensen
Rockport, Mass.

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Tower

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days to paint and light the tower.
MPBN did, without consulting with town officials, and soon after the light went on the Town Office began fielding calls about the new light in the night sky.
"They weren't really complaints," Town Manager Scott Cole said at the time. "People mostly wanted to know what the light was, and if it had been properly permitted."
Cole looked into the matter and decided there was a strong probability the changes at the tower did constitute a "change of use" as defined by town performance standards.
Accordingly, he referred the matter to the town Planning Board for a formal change-of-use designation.
Cole said at the time that while the actual change of use, if any, might be minimal, asking for a formal finding from the board was "essential in order to protect the integrity of the review process and ordinance itself."
(Cole also contacted the FAA to see if the lighting requirement could be rescinded. They said it could not.)
Applicable, then not
At it most recent meeting,

the Bethel Planning Board took up the matter.
The board considered the change from the perspective of each of 31 separate performance standards, but in fact only one standard was at play.
"It's all going to boil down to visual impact," predicted Chairman Al Cressy.
And it did.
On 30 of the 31 performance standards, the board voted, usually unanimously, that either the standard was not applicable to the changes at the tower, or that the changes did not have "significant impact" on the standard.
But on one performance standard, the board voted — at least initially — that there was an impact on the performance standard.
That standard involved "Visual and direct impact," which requires that "the development shall minimize visual and direct impact on, and shall not have an adverse effect upon, historic sites, rare or irreplaceable natural areas, or the scenic and natural beauty of the area."
Board Member Pat Carter moved that the changes at the tower did have a significant impact, and her motion was supported by Nancy Wight,

Jan Baker and Reggie Brown. Members Cressy, Wally Hannigan and Rocky Freda opposed the motion.
The 4-3 positive vote on the single standard would have been enough to trigger a formal site plan review.
However after votes on all the standards had been taken, Cressy asked if the board cared to reconsider the single positive vote.
Brown then moved for reconsideration, and when that motion passed, he moved a motion stating that the standard was not applicable.
After some discussion, his second motion (that the standard was not applicable) passed 4-3, with Brown switching his initial vote on the standard.
Maintaining their original position, Carter, White and Baker voted in the minority that the visual-impact standard was applicable.
As a result of that vote (and the votes that the other 30 standards were either not applicable or not significantly affected by the changes at the tower) MPBN will not have to go through formal site plan review.
Cole said Tuesday that he does not expect the town will take the matter further.

Appeal

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The Appeals Board reconvened last Thursday, and following a brief discussion the three sitting members all voted to uphold the Planning Board decision.
Hanley said this week that he and Egeberg will review

transcripts of the two Appeals Board meetings before deciding whether or not to take the matter to the next level of appeal: Oxford County Superior Court.
"There were a lot of things said at the [Appeals Board]

meetings at various points in time, that may make very interesting reading for the Superior Court," Hanley said. "We're going to see what the transcript says and take it from there."

Newry

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\$75,000 increase over what was placed in the account last year.
Selectmen are recommending the improvements to the four-mile section of road take place in phases.
They will not receive proposals for the work from contractors until March 1, too late to factor them into the warrant article for the March 5 Town Meeting.
The \$150,000 serves as a "placeholder," said Selectman Steve Wight, and is open to revision at the meeting.
New budget items proposed for this year include \$10,000

toward improvements at Bethel's skateboard park.
A committee overseeing the plan requested \$25,000 toward the project, estimated to cost a total of \$150,000 to \$200,000. The letter of request was signed by Nancy Babcock, a Newry resident, Powers said.
"I'm amazed at how much use [the park] gets," said Selectman Jim Largess.
Another new item is \$5,000 to support the Mountain Explorer shuttle bus.
Until this year, all of the cost of the bus has been paid for with state funds. But because

more towns apply each year for money from the fund, not as much is available for this area, the selectmen said. As a result, a \$5,000 town subsidy has been requested.
One town account showing a large decline this year is the Grange Hall Improvement Account. It dropped to \$3,000, down from last year's \$31,765.
Large projects last year included paving and the installation of a stair lift.
The board expects to finalize the budget at its next meeting, which will take place Feb. 21 at 7 p.m.

Waterford

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ing and selling their land.
"People who own large tracts of land could be assessed at \$2,300 per acre," he said. "If the surcharge is illegal, then the residential land assessment must be the same because it is based on ideals from the town's comprehensive plan, not fair market value."
The surcharge and the acreage tax have been used in Waterford for many years. However, only the surcharge has been challenged (by Rickie Hall and Lorraine Blais, owners of the Bear Mountain Inn).
Wheeler said that the town's attorney said that Waterford may have a good legal case because they've used the surcharge for a long time.
"That is not to say that if you asked us flat out, 'Is that legal or illegal?' We would all say that it is unconstitutional," said Wheeler. "But it is the way Waterford has operated for eons, and to change it could kill some of our com-

mercial properties. If we reassess at fair market value the impact would be enormous to every single person in town.
"Taxes for an owner of a business or a large tract of property could triple if we had to comply with the commissioners' dictate," Wheeler said. "I originally said, in my heart, that if [the surcharge] would probably be unconstitutional. But, we don't want to change and we want to fight it."
However Rickie Hall, who attended Monday's meeting, had a different idea.
"There are different assessing plans and the assessor of a town can come up with their own plan," she said.
"It has to be based on fair market value and be evenly applied. We showed in our case [to the commissioners] that the taxes were not evenly applied to all the citizens and in many cases it was not market value related. So any scheme that you come up with

has to be tested and if either one of those tests fail that scheme fails. You are saying either it is 25 percent or your taxes will triple. I want to tell you there are a lot of other ways to tax."
But Wheeler replied: "The issue is not whether the 25 percent is good, bad or indifferent. The issue is do we want to go to fair market value across the board in the town?"
"And I don't think that you do. Your taxes would be \$41,000 instead of \$12,000. I don't think that you want to pay that and we will be challenging that first with the commissioners and then in court if they don't reverse their opinion," he said.
Hall remained unconvinced. Selectmen voted two to one to contest the commissioners' opinion.
Selectman Norm Rust voted with Wheeler, while Selectman David Marston voted in opposition.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown Nickerson

10 years ago: A fire, started by an electrical surge after a plow truck downed a utility pole, caused about \$15,000 damage to the Andover Town office.
Several members of the Gould/Sunday River Freestyle Team were competing in the U.S. Freestyle Junior National Championships in Winter Park, Colo.
Sunday River was offering free skiing on storm days for SAD44 communities.
Birth: Roger Warren Albert Hinkley, II.
Deaths: Gordon "Al" Beckwith, Harold R. Powell.
20 years ago: Hot air balloons floated over the area as part of Winter Wonderland Week.
According to tabulators at both Mt. Abram Ski Slopes and Sunday River Ski Resort, the Bethel area had already been covered by over 100 inches of snow during the season.
The Lake Christopher Condominiums were nearing completion with nine of the 13 units already sold — at prices above \$100,000.
Deaths: Albert J. "Pete" Silver, Alice C. Waterhouse, Pearl I. Peaslee, Loring Raymond Swain, Donald A. Croteau.
30 years ago: Dr. John R. Mason opened an office in his newly completed building on the Northwest Bethel Road.
Sara S. Head was appointed postmaster of Andover.
The Telstar varsity boys' ski team defeated four other schools in a four-event competition held at Telstar and Mt. Abram.
Births: Jason Allen Inman, Joey Stephen McLain.
40 years ago: Gould Academy hosted the annual State Class AA Ski Meet.
Martin Engstrom, weatherman of station WMTW, gave an illustrated lecture on "A Trip Up Mount Washington" at the monthly meeting of the Senior Citizens.
Mrs. George Gilbert was injured when she was thrown from a sleigh when the horse she was driving became frightened.
Birth: Correne Roy.
Deaths: Leon L. Bean, Robert B. Verrill.
50 years ago: The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital held a Silver Tea at the Philip Chadbourne home on Broad Street.
The Five Town Teachers' Club met at Crescent Park School; Miss Helen Varner reported on the MTA Assembly meeting in Augusta.
The Maple Grove Youth Fellowship in West Bethel had a skating party and wiener roast.
Birth: Elsie Dorothea Grant.
Deaths: Harry Brown, Mrs. Ethel Walker Metcalf.
60 years ago: Heavy rain made driving dangerous. River ice was broken up and jams formed in several places. Roads were under water.
Gould Academy participated in the first annual downhill and slalom competitions sponsored by the Ski Instructors Association of Maine, and won all three trophies.
Deaths: Mrs. Hugh Brown, Mrs. Olive Howe.
70 years ago: The Red Cross announced the gift of \$27,500 from William Bingham 2nd for the flood relief fund.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Briggs of West Paris escaped serious injuries when their car was struck by a freight engine and hurled 20 feet over a 15-foot embankment. The car was demolished.
Deaths: Clifton Herbert Swan, Miss Fannie C. Hastings, Ralph D. Thurston.
80 years ago: The Sunday River Bridge was condemned by the State Highway Department. A survey of the bridge was taken. Figures would be presented at the annual town meeting.
A farewell reception for the Rev. and Mrs. S.T. Achenbach was held at Bethel Inn.
100 years: January was very cold in Bethel.
The Errol Stage team ran off for 1½ miles before being caught.
Warren Emery reported that the deer in the woods in Byron were having trouble finding food with the deep snow.

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Briefly

Charette concert to benefit MKA

BETHEL—Rick Charette will be in concert at 7 p.m. Feb. 23 at Telstar High School. Mahoosuc Kids Association is sponsoring the show by the popular singer and songwriter. Tickets purchased in advance are \$6 for children (ages 3-12) and \$8 for older kids and adults (ages 13 and up). Tickets purchased at the door are \$8/\$10. Children under 3 are free. Doors open at 6 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at any SAD44 elementary school — Woodstock Elementary, Andover Elementary, or Crescent Park Elementary, as well as at these area locations: Sunday River Ski Resort, Bethel Inn and Country Club, Riverview Resort, Norseman Inn, Mt. Abram Ski Area, and the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce. FMI: Julie Hart at 824-7007 at Telstar High School.

Police seize marijuana

PARIS—Police seized about 90 pounds of marijuana with an estimated wholesale value of \$236,500 from a mobile home after investigating an attack by two masked individuals who brutally beat the homeowners, officials said Friday. The investigation began Thursday morning when Paris police were called to Stephens Memorial Hospital on Norway to investigate a pre-dawn attack on Dwayne Bonney, 47, and his wife, Debbie, 43. The Bonneys told police they believed their attackers were after jewelry and cash. When police later searched the Bonneys' Bisco Road home, they found plastic crates and garbage bags containing marijuana, which investigators said came from last fall's marijuana crop. The Bonneys suffered severe head trauma and lost significant blood in the attack, according to Maine State Police. Dwayne Bonney was transferred to Maine Medical Center for advanced medical care.

Skier, deer collide

CARRABASSETT VALLEY—Dr. Ray Stone had no warning before he was knocked off his feet last month while skiing down the Haulback Trail at Sugarloaf/USA. "My first thought was, 'What hit me? ... a (snow) boarder? drunk skier? linebacker?'" Stone wrote in a letter to The Irregular, a weekly newspaper in Kingfield. It was none of the above. A whitetail deer attempting to cross the trail crossed paths with Stone as he was making a turn. "I just never saw this deer coming," Stone said Friday. "I was going pretty quick down the top half of Haulback, arcing from left to right and all of the sudden I just got knocked right off my feet and I was falling." The deer also went down. "Its legs were just pumping away really fast, they never stopped moving," said Stone, a family practice doctor who lives in New Gloucester and works at Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston. The collision was witnessed by skiers riding in a chairlift, said longtime Maine skier and ski writer Dan Cassidy, whose story about the incident eventually prompted Stone to write in that he was the skier who hit the deer. Cassidy, who has been skiing in Maine for 45 years, said he had never before heard of a deer-skier collision. "Never, never, never," Cassidy said. "I've never even heard of anybody encountering a deer on a ski trail, especially an alpine trail. I've seen an animal, like a fox, come out on occasion but never a deer." Stone recalled people hollering at him from the lift, which prompted him to raise his fist and pump it in the air to let them know he was OK. He then skied down to meet his wife, Diane, at the chairlift. She was skiing ahead of him and hadn't seen the collision. When he told her he had just run into a deer on the slope her first question was, "Is the deer all right?" Stone said the deer quickly bounced back to its feet and continued across the trail and into the woods. "It never stopped running even though it was down," Stone said. "Luckily we just glanced off each other. I'm just glad the deer wasn't hurt."

Snowmobiler killed in crash

BALDWIN—A snowmobiler from Salem, Mass., was killed when his machine slammed into the embankment of a pond, the Maine Warden Service said. Arthur Auger, 24, was dead at the scene of the Friday night crash on Woods Mill Pond, off Route 107 in this southern Maine town. The accident occurred at about 7:30 p.m. after Auger had arrived at a friend's house and went out to the pond to try out the machine he had recently purchased, Mark Latti, spokesman for the warden service, said Saturday. "He was unfamiliar with the pond and unfamiliar with the snowmobile," Latti said. "He was driving along at a high rate of speed and he struck the embankment of the pond. He didn't know it was coming." Auger's helmet flew off as he was thrown about 50 feet into the woods, Latti said.

State loon count down

FALMOUTH—The number of loon chicks in Maine Audubon's annual count last summer was the second-lowest in 23 years, the conservation organization said Monday. Maine Audubon biologists estimate that the loon population in the southern half of the state stands at 2,595 adults and 141 chicks. The adult count was down 14 percent from 2005, when just over 3,000 loons were counted. The number of chicks was the second-lowest on record since Maine Audubon began holding its annual loon counts in 1983. Heavy rains last spring and early summer made for a difficult nesting season, said Susan Gallo, director of Audubon's Maine Loon Project. It's possible, she said, that some of the loons delayed their nesting and that the actual number of chicks was higher than the estimate. "It's likely that the loon count, which is timed to catch chicks just off the nest in a typical season, happened this year when many birds were still incubating eggs," Gallo said. "So more chicks may have hatched and survived after the count." Maine has New England's largest loon population but a low chick survival rate compared to neighboring states. Shoreline development, high levels of mercury, lead sinkers and boats all pose problems to breeding loons and their chicks.

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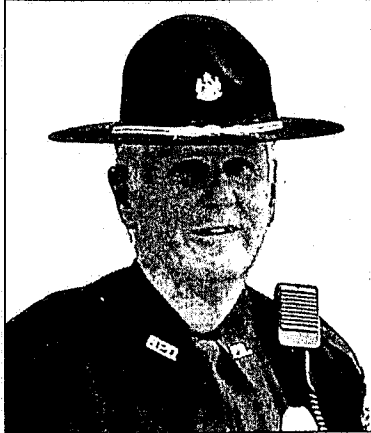
Career

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ride. And, in turn, Taylor backed up the local officer in his work. Taylor spent three years in West Berlin, and while he was there, he learned German. "Street German," he said. On returning to the United States at the end of his tour, he enrolled at the University of Maine (Orono) and majored in French, with the intent of becoming a teacher. He also married his wife, Suzanne. Taylor chose teaching because, he said, "I always liked kids, and I liked sports. I wanted to coach." After graduation, Taylor got a job at Gould Academy, where he taught French for two years. Pinkerton's, espionage Then, in 1963, he received a letter from the Army asking him if he would re-enlist. It didn't take much persuasion. "I enjoyed the military, and I missed it," he said. He was not scheduled to report for several months, however, and in the meantime decided to take a job in Boston with the Pinkerton Detective Agency. Taylor worked undercover for the agency. The excitement and variety of the work appealed to him, he said. "I really liked it. I think I would have stayed there if I hadn't re-enlisted," he said. One of his assignments was at a school-supply factory, where employees were regularly stealing large amounts of inventory.

Taylor posed as an employee himself. "Every night I would go home and write down who was stealing what," he said. When he reported to the military again, the Army sent him off to language school for nine months, where he learned formal German. Taylor then returned to West Germany for four years, with his family, and was stationed in a variety of locations. This time, he served in Army Intelligence. "We did background checks on Americans who needed top-secret clearance," he said. Later, he supervised agents who worked undercover doing counter-espionage and counter-terrorism. The agents investigated Communists who might be plotting against the Americans and West Germans. When that assignment concluded, he was assigned to Army Intelligence in Vietnam. There, he said, "We gathered information on the activities of the North Vietnamese and Viet Cong." Taylor was stationed in Vietnam for a year, and when his tour ended in 1969, he decided that was enough. He left the Army with the rank of major. "I decided it was time to be home with my family," he said, and he returned to Maine. He got a job teaching French and German at Telstar High School, but was torn for a

time on which way to go for a full-time profession. "I really wanted to be a cop," he said. "But I really liked teaching, too." He decided to remain a teacher, but spend part of his time in law enforcement. He started riding informally with a state trooper assigned to the area. Taylor had no official authority, and simply served the role of moral support for



PHIL TAYLOR

the trooper, he said. He did the same later with county deputies. In the early 1980s, the state established a requirement that all part-time police officers take a 100-hour training course. Taylor took the course, even though he still did not play an official role for several more years. He continued his teaching career at Telstar and returned to Europe occasionally, taking trips with students from his language classes. He also served as a basketball and assistant football coach, and for many years officiated football and softball games. Taylor seemed to often end up in positions of authority. "I never actively set out to run things. But that's the way things went," he said. Despite juggling full-time teaching with part-time patrolling, Taylor also found time to earn a Master of Science degree in Education, with a concentration in psychology, from the University of Southern Maine. In the late 1980s, he began to do some road patrol work on his own for the sheriff. And after he retired from

teaching in 1990, "I started working a lot for the Sheriff's Department, doing more road patrol," he said. About the same time, he also began working part-time for the Bethel Police Department. Taylor found occasions when he could employ his foreign language skills. When he stopped drivers from Quebec, he said, some tried to avoid a traffic ticket by speaking French to pretend they could not communicate, hoping Taylor would give up in frustration and let them go. "But I'd start speaking French to them, and they realized that wasn't going to work," he said. "Then they'd start speaking English." On one occasion, he also got the chance to use German. "I was patrolling on Route 113 (a winding, narrow road) in the White Mountain National Forest, and I stopped a rental car going about 60. It was a German businessman. He was surprised to be stopped by an American cop who spoke German," said Taylor. "He was pleased that I could speak his language. I explained to him it wasn't safe to drive that fast on that road, and gave him a warning."

Satisfying work Taylor said that throughout his policing career, he gave out far more warnings than tickets. His intent much of the time was to educate drivers. And, he said, over the years he has received about a dozen letters from people thanking him for the way he treated them on traffic stops. "Ninety-five percent of the people are decent," said Taylor. He said he found police work gratifying "when you can really help someone, and know that you did." Obvious examples include domestic and accident situations, but there were opportunities in less dramatic circumstances, too. Several years ago, for instance, he came across a family of four in a car that had broken down in Gilead. They weren't from the area,

so after calling a tow truck, he drove the family to a lodging place for the night. "It's things like that, too," he said, that make the job satisfying. How did he handle the emotions surrounding a serious car accident or violent incident? "You deal with what you have to deal with and then get away from it, and try to forget about it," he said. Taylor said he encountered more violent situations as an MP than he did as a part-time police officer. He said he feels fortunate he had to draw his gun only twice in his policing career. Once was as an MP in Germany, when he and a German policeman searched for and found a burglar in a subway station. The man was reported to have a knife, and Taylor pulled the gun as a precaution when he approached him. The second occasion happened in Bethel, when he and another officer stopped a vehicle. When the driver reached over and opened his glove compartment for his registration, the officers saw a gun. They quickly drew theirs. Fortunately, the man had simply forgotten to mention he had the weapon.

Still busy Despite retiring from road patrol in Bethel, Taylor has not totally left law enforcement behind. He will now serve as Bethel's animal control officer, and will fill in as a deputy for the Sheriff's Department, if needed. He's keeping busy as well tutoring at Dirigo High School and volunteering at the Crescent Park Elementary School. He also lifts weights with BPD Chief Alan Carr. And while Taylor is still wrestling with the urge to stop vehicles with expired inspection stickers, he's learning to deal with it. "Last week I was walking through a parking lot and saw a driver with an expired sticker on his car. I just pointed it out to him," said Taylor. "He thanked me."

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The Way I See It
by Sharon Bouchard
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This past Christmas I did a lot of online shopping. For the most part it was a very pleasant shopping experience. I found some great deals and some unusual items from the comfort of my living room. Only one item out of many failed to arrive on time.

As I said, for the most part it was a pleasant shopping experience. However, I suspect that most, if not all of the online sites I dealt with sold my name to other companies. They must have a "We've Got A Live One" hot list that they peddle as soon as the payment clears the bank.

I'm sure if I didn't have a great Spam filter my email would be full of online ads. That's not a problem, but my mailbox is over flowing with catalogs that arrive on a daily basis. Catalogs from companies that I've never heard of and a lot of products that I would never buy.

A good number of the catalogs I have received are for women's clothing, which surprises me because I didn't buy any women's clothing online.

I do enjoy browsing through those catalogs because I do need to think about improving my shabby wardrobe a bit.

Most of the women's clothing catalogs I have received are for full figured women, and I am definitely a full figured woman. But, how on earth do these companies know that? I didn't tell them!

The online sites where I did most of my shopping

didn't ask if I was fat. In fact, I bought mostly toys for my grandchildren, so how did my name end up with plus size clothing companies? That's a real mystery to me.

Another mystery to me is why catalogs dealing with women's clothing sizes 14W to 26W are using size 4 models. The clothing they're modeling may come in large sizes, but what they are wearing in the pictures are sized appropriately to their tiny bodies. They would swim in any of the sizes that are being sold.

They must have a "We've Got A Live One" hot list that they peddle as soon as the payment clears the bank.

I just don't understand why these little women are being used for this purpose. If you're going to sell plus size clothing, use plus size models. I know the sellers want to show the clothing as being stunning, but I can tell you that what looks stunning on a 21 year-old in a size 4 is for darn sure not going to look very stunning on my 58 year-old rotund body.

I decided to throw the catalogs away and went to watch some television and the first thing I saw was a commercial for a diet pill. A voluptuous young woman in a white bathing suit was walking along the beach touting the merits of this wonderful diet pill.

Let me tell you, that voluptuous young woman has never had an excess pound on her bone-thin body in her life. For that matter, neither have the hard bodied women or men advertising the home gym systems.

I suspect that those people started working out at the age of 5 and were pretty buffed by the age of 10. But, they would have us believe that those of us with weight and sag can look just like them by using the home gym system for only 30 minutes a day.

Why don't they show what someone like me would look like after 30 days of using the system for just 30 minutes a day? I'll tell you why, because someone like me would end up dropping from cardiac arrest after the first 30-minute workout.

I don't think I'm going to buy any clothes from a catalog that doesn't have the courage or honesty to show what the clothes will really look like on someone my size.

I know I'm not going to take a diet pill that I know the model touting them has never taken in her life and the FDA will probably take off the market as unsafe anyway.

I'm definitely not going to buy a home gym that could do me more harm than good and would just end up with clothing hanging from it.

What I should do is start a sensible diet and get some moderate exercise. Who knows, the way I see it, in time I just might be able to fit one of my legs into one of those cute size 4 outfits.

Super Crossword
'Out-of-it Africa'

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ACROSS

1 "Li'l Abner" cartoonist
5 Mann or Greeley
11 Lloyd Webber musical
15 Owens
18 Franchise
19 Military helicopter
20 Tigris-Euphrates land
21 Convent cubicle
22 African Revolutionary War heroine?
24 Hunt's "Ben Adhem"
25 Wells' creatures
26 Stunt
27 Author Follett
28 Actress Massen
29 Primer pooch
30 Nobelists
33 Operetta composer
37 — out (graduate)
39 African sitcom?
44 Actress Talia
45 Relished a roast
46 King of comedy

47 Grind
49 — cotta
52 "America's Most Wanted" host
55 Jubilant
57 Belly sound
59 Marry
60 Roller-coaster unit
62 LAX letters
63 Desire
64 Botanist
65 Frighten
67 — Magnon
69 Roll-call
70 Cozy
71 Swiss sight
72 African appetizer?
74 Crewel tool
76 European capital
77 Memo start
79 "Agnus —"
80 Wonderful
81 Conductor
82 Like a raisin
83 — deco
85 Lodge
86 Part of MPH
87 Steak
88 Infantry action
91 Cosmetics
95 Take the honey and run

97 Walker's "The — Purple"
99 Pat on the buns?
101 Sign a contract
102 Declaim
104 Start of an African anthem?
108 Nasty
109 Puccini's "— Lasciatu"
110 Secure the ship
112 Scoundrels
114 LP
117 Most minute
121 Polipour
122 British buggy
124 African movie theme song?
127 Wise — owl
128 Turner or Wood
129 Aromatic plant
130 Mrs. Charlie Chaplin
131 Looney Tunes critter
132 In addition
133 Salem's state
134 Manipulates

2 Smith or Sandler
3 Actress Negri
4 Much valued
5 "Bali —"
6 Select, with "for"
7 Pinion's partner
8 Flu symptom
9 Chinese Olympic skater
10 Chariot follower
11 Security grp.
12 Ann —, MI
13 New Mexico resort
14 Court sport
15 Beach Boys' African hit?
16 Knock for — (astonish)
17 Skirt feature
21 One of the Borgias
23 Soccer superstar
31 Tempest — teapot
32 Parisian creator
34 TV's "The — of Night"
35 Card collection
36 Actress Alicia
38 Deed

39 Shorten a slat
40 Actress Hagen
41 Tierra — Fuego
42 Connecticut campus
43 Grabbed "with foot"
44 Start wool gathering
48 Mail madness
50 Uplshot
51 Proverb
53 It'll give you a weigh
54 Jackrabbit, for one
56 O'Hara
58 Settle a score
61 Go to bed
63 Certain singer
65 Make a pile
66 African actress?
68 Peculiar
70 Pursues
71 — suzette
72 Philosophy mishap
73 Paper quantity
75 Perry's creator
78 Sib's kid
82 Trepidation
84 It may be small
88 Mindy of "The Facts of Life"

89 Approximately
90 Abound (with)
92 Archaic contraction
93 Compass pt.
94 Scrape by, "with foot"
96 Basilio, e.g.
98 Mauna
100 Yoko —
103 Curly Shirley
105 Stick-in-the-mud?
106 Cry of distress
107 " — Lonesome Tonight?" (60 fill)
108 Taro
109 Haunted-house sounds
111 Paint layer
113 Spoken
115 Barry or Brubeck
116 Stocking mishap
118 Baseball's Slaughter
119 Unit of loudness
120 " — brillig . . ."
123 West of Hollywood
124 Day —
125 Past
126 Bog

From the Bethel Police Log:

Monday, Feb. 5

At 7:20 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick and Chief Alan Carr responded to the Songo Pond Road for two vehicles that had gone off the road separately in the same location.

At 10:30 a.m. Chief Alan Carr took a report from a complainant regarding credit card charges that had been made on his card by someone from outside the country. The complainant was advised to contact the FBI.

At 3:20 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to Route 2 for a two-vehicle, property-damage accident.

At 6:35 p.m. Officer Jack Taylor responded to a business parking lot for a property damage accident.

Sunday, Feb. 4

At 3:09 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore assisted a county deputy with a party in Newry.

At 6:58 a.m. Officer Travis Fillmore responded to the Grover Hill Road for a property-damage accident. Christopher Millett, 28, of Shelburne, N.H., was charged with leaving the scene and failure to report an accident by the quickest means.

At 8 p.m. Lt. S.R. White checked on the welfare of a subject sleeping in a vehicle in a parking lot.

Saturday, Feb. 3

At 12:10 a.m. Lt. S.R. White and Officer Mac McCormick assisted a county deputy with a subject out of control in Newry.

At 6:15 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick assisted Bethel Rescue on a call.

At 8 a.m. Officer Mac McCormick responded to the Walkers Mills Road for a property-damage accident. The driver had lost control on the snow-packed road and had gone into the ditch. The driver, Erika J. Bryant, 34, of Vinalhaven was given a summons for operating a motor vehicle after the registration had been suspended.

At 11:50 a.m. Officer Jack Taylor took a report of a burglary on the Intervale Road.

At 3:35 p.m. ACO Phil Taylor responded to the Walkers Mills Road for a barking dog complaint.

At 9:30 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick assisted Bethel Rescue with a call on the Mayville Road.

At 11:10 p.m. Officer Mac McCormick was advised to be on the lookout for a pickup truck with a possible drunk driver. A deputy stopped the vehicle at Newry Corner on Route 26. The Bethel officer assisted.

Thursday, Feb. 1

At 2 p.m. Officer T.J. Reese took a harassment report.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists cases reported in the log of adults being arrested or issued a summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of police activity, such as routine speeding tickets and other civil violations. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

Bethel



by Virginia Keniston

Bob Davis is a surgical patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital. Michael and

Gail Nicholson of Camden were guests of Amy Davis on Sunday

Lennie Shaw has returned after a week visiting his sister and husband, Mimi and Myles Coon, in Palm Beach, Fla.

Robert Keniston is at home after spending a week in Norway Hospital, then two weeks at Maine Medical Center in Portland.

Betsy Davis Retallack will be reading her poetry at the Bethel Library on Wednesday, Feb. 21.

It will be held at 7 p.m. upstairs in the newly renovated meeting room.

She has self-published two books, "Poets' Hill" in 2005 and "Hearing Voices from Poets' Hill" in 2006.

One of her poems was published in the anthology of The Best American Poetry of 2006. Betsy grew up in Bethel and now lives with her husband and two sons in Beverly, Mass., at the foot of Poets' Hill.

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Gilead



by Lin Chapman

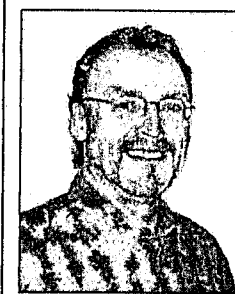
The little bit of snow that we had recently has brought

out the snowmobiles. There have been a few on the trail that goes along the edge of the White Mountain National Forest picnic area.

The end of last week, Hugh looked out in the backyard to check out what kinds of birds were feeding out there. Besides a lot of the regulars and the pair of cardinals, there were two robins. We also had nine turkeys out back eating the seeds that we had put out for the little birds. They were scratching through the new snow, so it actually made it easier for the little birds to get to the food. While we were watching the turkeys, they all headed for the Town Hall, so we went to see what they were looking at. Tommy, the old stray cat, was making his way along the hall and looking as if he was hoping they had not noticed him. They stayed a short distance behind him until he went around the corner of the hall and then returned to their feeding.

I got an e-mail from my nephews, Stephen McLain and Joe McLain, this past week. I had sent them e-mails to wish

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them a Happy Birthday. They are the sons of Steve and Lise McLain.

Our grandchildren, William and Annie Chapman, stopped by with their dad this past weekend for a brief visit. They were spending the weekend with him.

Selectmen's Meeting
This is a reminder that there is a regular meeting of the selectmen on Feb. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Municipal Building/Fire Station. They will start work on the budget for next year.

Town Clerk's Office
The month of January has gone by and any unpaid dog licenses will now be subject to a late fee of \$15 for each dog. The next step will be the issuing of the warrant for unlicensed dogs on April 1.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com.

West Bethel



by Lorrie Hoeh

Wow! Four whole inches of snow fell last Friday night! That's our biggest snowfall this season, meager as it is. It was enough for me and Jake to have a ski Saturday morning on the forest road — first tracks in the fresh powder. The trip out is mostly uphill and pretty hard work, but coming back from the Crocker Pond Road is, of course, mostly downhill and

reward for the effort.

By Monday morning vehicles had driven through (we need at least a foot of snow to discourage that), but my tracks were mostly intact, and I had another good ski before breakfast. Whenever there is fresh snow, even a dusting, one can see all sorts of animal tracks. What I see the most of is deer and turkey tracks, along with the occasional partridge.

With the frigid temperatures we have been seeing increased activity at the bird feeders, with big flocks of goldfinches and juncos, and lesser numbers of chickadees, nuthatches, tree sparrows, titmice, and woodpeckers. Naturally, the greedy blue jays are there in abundance as well. They are all a treat to watch.

I noticed in last week's Citizen that Adaline and Emerson Clough had celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. Sixty years and still going strong! They must have been preteens when they got married, because they are two vigorous, busy people. Heartiest congratulations on this milestone, and we'll all look forward to No. 65.

Last Saturday afternoon I had the distinct privilege and pleasure to attend the District II Honors Choral Festival, hosted by Windham High School. Telstar, one of a dozen or more schools at the Festival, was represented by one high school student, Tonya Hebert; and the Middle School had four students there: Emily Bellinger, Abbie Goldberg, Casey Hockman, and Molly Siegel.

The varied program lasted about an hour and a half, and it was sheer enjoyment to sit back and listen to the wonderful voices and beautiful music such as Ave Verum Corpus by Mozart, Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho, and Seasons of Love from "Rent." The young people had their music ahead of time but had not practiced together until the day of the concert. With the help of their excellent directors, they did a magnificent job.

The annual Flying Moose Classic ski race took place on Sunday, Feb. 4, organized by the Bethel Outing Club. Despite losing a number of par-

ticipants to the huge Eastern Cup Race at Pineland (rescheduled from western Massachusetts owing to lack of snow), there were 29 intrepid skiers enjoying the beautiful Gould race course and the perfect skiing weather Sunday morning.

Among the men, Kirk Siegel of Bethel came in first overall; Ron Newbury of Freedom, N.H., was second; and Brad Clarke of Bethel was third. Among women, Karen Frost of Norway finished first; Alice Hotopp, a Telstar Middle School team member, came in second; and Sally Swenson of Intervale, N.H., was third. I hasten to mention that Jeb Clarke, Helen Cooper, Ben Lewis, Eliot List, and Molly Siegel all skied in the adult race. Helen and Eliot are both Flat Road residents.

Other West Bethelites participating were Betsey Cooper, Chris Trefethen, and Chris's daughter, Sophie, who skied in the Lollipop Race. There were about ten skiers in the children's race.

The Reverend Earl Bell is recovering nicely from injuries sustained in a fall before Christmas. His hematoma is shrinking, and his torn rotator cuff is also improving. We send best wishes for his continued and rapid improvement.

Happy Birthday to Barbara Mahler, who celebrated XX years early this week!

Stay warm, stay well, and get in touch with your news. 836-3011; dhoeh@megalink.net

Newry



by Sylvia Harrington

It looks like the recent snow will make good trail conditions for this

Saturday's WVSC Herb Kitredge Memorial Ride. Those who wish to ride, meet at the Grange Hall at 10 a.m. Right after the ride, which also ends at the Grange Hall, the seventh annual Spaghetti and Oyster Stew Supper will be held. Landowners have been invited to be guests at this 5 p.m. supper.



FLYING MOOSER—The annual Flying Moose Classic ski race, organized by the Bethel Outing Club, took place Sunday. Twenty-nine skiers competed on the Gould race course. Among the men, Kirk Siegel of Bethel came in first overall; Ron Newbury of Freedom, N.H., was second; and Brad Clarke of Bethel was third. Among women, Karen Frost of Norway finished first; Alice Hotopp, a Telstar Middle School team member, came in second; and Sally Swenson of Intervale, N.H., was third. Jeb Clarke, Helen Cooper, Ben Lewis, Eliot List, and Molly Siegel all skied in the adult race. There were about ten skiers in the children's race. Pictured here on the course is Betsey Cooper of West Bethel.

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tinued on in Rumford schools again met with Mr. Preble at Stephens High School where he was the physical education and health teacher. Mr. Preble also coached several sports and he was instrumental in introducing wrestling at Stephens High School. Melvin Preble died Jan. 9, at the age of 95. Mr. Preble and his wife Gerda lived and raised their family in a brown bungalow in Rumford Center.

Sara Clark was a surgical patient at Maine Medical Center in Portland on Jan. 23. The next day she returned home to recuperate, and she expects to return to work this week.

Snowmobiles were recently seen crossing the Androscoggin River in the vicinity of Gordie Howe's Store. Luckily they didn't break into the water. There have been reports of up to 14 inches of ice in some area ponds. However, anyone thinking of venturing onto the ice should check the ice thickness and then proceed with great caution.

About six inches of new snow fell last Friday night in this area. Other than a few cars skidding into the ditch there were no major incidents.

Clearing of a lot on the South Shore Road has been taking place in preparation of a new house.

The Knights of Pythias have been practice bowling in Rumford, usually on Wednesday evenings, to get ready for state bowling tournaments in March and April. Among those bowling are Craig Turner, Spencer Couture, Freeman Farrington, Keith Farrington, Orville Meisner, Alonzo Miller, and Dale McKay.

Andover



by Melinda Averill
Hi Andover folks. I would say that brrrr is the word of the week!

I guess we were a bit luckier than the people down in Florida though. I'll take cold, cold weather anytime over tornadoes or hurricanes.

Family Terrorized by Black Squirrel: Now here is a story that you probably won't believe! If I hadn't seen it myself I probably wouldn't.

On Sunday evening some friends of mine called to say their dog had discovered a gray squirrel in their house. (They had heard something the previous night in their chimney and then fireplace, but figured it had gone out.) They were looking for a gray squirrel, then soon figured out it was black, from being covered with soot from the fireplace.

Twice, they caught a quick glimpse of it. Of course they couldn't find it when it ran into the living room and hid in the couch.

They opened a side door, but it ran right past it twice.

The next morning I went to visit and pulled out the couch, (where it still was). We opened a window and shut the door, hoping it would go out.

Well for about an hour we could hear it in there, tearing about. I went out around the house and looked in another window and there it sat, on the back of a chair right in front of the window, cleaning itself. Its tail was all black and scorched.

After about 30 minutes, it finally went out the window. We stood outside and watched it slowly climb up a tree. From the tree it hopped over to the house roof, climbed across the top, and lo and behold sat on top of a second chimney, which had smoke coming out of it.

Can you believe that it went down the chimney again? It was unreal. We went inside and could hear it in the stove pipe, for maybe two minutes, and that was it.

Believe it or not!

Happy birthday this week to Cassidy Smith, on Feb. 13.

Congratulations to proud new grandparents, Bob and Cheryl Morin. Their daughter, Jennifer, gave birth to her first child, a girl, Katherine Anne, on Wednesday, Jan. 31, at Eastern Maine Medical Center in Bangor. It is the first grandchild for Bob and Cheryl.

Don't forget the Rabies Clinic on Saturday, at the Fire Department from 2 to 4 p.m.

Six day notice: don't forget next Wednesday, Valentine's Day!

Have a nice, warm weekend!

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte

I understand that it has been mighty cold in Upton. It really

hasn't been that warm here in New Smyrna Beach, Fla. The wind off the water has been brutal at times.

We can't complain after reading an e-mail from Diane Philbrick of Peaseley Cove. They arrived at camp on Saturday, Jan. 27. It was 2 above zero outside, which meant that it was 2 above zero inside as well. After stacking up the wood and getting the propane heater going, they reach a plateau above freezing. I'll bet they slept in their ski clothing. Sunday morning they awoke to find a beautiful, crisp, blue-sky day. The sky sparkles in Upton on that kind of a day. They headed up the lake on their skis, lunching at Tyler Cove. The woods were very quiet but they were not alone. Rabbits, mice, grouse and deer tracks welcomed them. Later they walked the snowmobile trail to Upton.

TRAVELING TO HONDURAS

Jim and Jane Chandler and Jan Whitworth are traveling to Honduras Feb. 19 to 26 as part of the Franklin Association Mission Trip. The trip is part of an ongoing Maine-Honduras Partnership with the churches in Honduras and the Maine Conference United Church of Christ. It is a shared partnership with the Hondurans expressing their needs and the Maine people responding to those needs. Jane and Jan will be working in an established medical clinic in Pina Lejo to provide health care in a rural part of the country. The conference has made a commitment to staff this clinic with medical personnel one week a month. Jim will be part of the construction team heading to El Junco, an extremely poor village needing repairs to its schoolhouse. In addition, Jim will provide community resources as an educator. Another objective will be cultural and spiritual sharing of faith and values. Each child in the small school (approximately 32) will get a school bag made by one of the church people and filled with school supplies. In addition, tools and other items will go to the Hondurans. The members of the West Parish Congregational Church packed supplies into suitcases for the group to travel. Here, Galen Boyle-Wight and the Rev. Ginger Rickman (left) pack school supplies while Bryce Richmond and Owen Richmond separate pencil sharpeners and markers. In the background Christine Trefethen and Jim Chandler look on. The three will give a report on their trip at a potluck supper Friday, March 16, at 6 p.m. at the church. Everyone is welcome.



East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer



Alder River Grange will try for a meeting on Feb. 9 at Lynn Ma-

son-Courtney's home, Apt. 1 in Sudbury Village. There will be a 6 p.m. potluck supper and the meeting at 7 p.m. The weather will be cold per the forecasts, but no snow.

I think I will put up with the cold and snow rather than what Florida has, hurricanes and tornadoes.

My brother, John, is doing much better. He still has to take those six steps without help before he can come home.

Jim Haines has a computer tech job with Mercy Hospital in Portland and loves the job.

If you have news, give me a ring at 824-3350. God Bless the Troops.

Mason



by Richard Grover

Our dog Snuffy is a 70-plus pounds shepherd-husky mix who gets

along pretty well with people, horses and most other dogs. Snuffy and Maggy, Matt and Monica Ludden's springer spaniel, have a great time chasing one another around their house; neither of them bark at the other. However, Rupert and Ina's granddaughter, Jessica, has a sheltie named T-Bone who weighs about 20 pounds ringing wet; T-Bone is one of those yappy little dogs that act like they

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'RIVER APPRECIATION DAY'

Eric Wight has sent in following river observations from his home on the East Bethel Road: In light of all the recent publicity, these turkeys (right) recently held their first annual "River Appreciation Day." As one can see, it was well attended. Most of the day was spent walking or flying, which was optional, back and forth from the riverbank to the ice edge for a drink. I only say one mishap, which was a turkey who in his excitement landed a little long and slid into the river. He didn't stay long. Also in attendance was an immature eagle who showed up at the event hoping for a turkey dinner. In the end though, he had to settle for some tasty frozen beaver carcasses that I put out for the crows and ravens. I too appreciate the Androscoggin and the entertainment it provides from our front window.

think they are a watchdog or something. He yaps at people, cars, other dogs and wildlife that happens to come around. I try to keep Snuffy on a leash whenever I take him near "the farm," especially if I know T-Bone is there because I don't want Snuffy to kill him. Trouble is, T-Bone always comes running toward us, yapping and showing his teeth; Snuffy strains at the leash and jumps up, whining, saying, "Lemme at him!"

Last Saturday, after our four-inch snowstorm, I took my snowmobile and groomed our cross-country ski trail which runs past "the farm" and through the woods along woods roads. Then I took Snuffy skiing. As we crested the hill overlooking the farm, I attached the leash and held on with one hand, while Snuffy led me down the hill, a little faster and further than I intended, but otherwise uneventfully. Jessica yelled a greeting from the little pond by the road where she was clearing the snow off the ice. No T-Bone in sight. Once we got safely into the woods again,

I turned Snuffy loose for our hour of fresh air and exercise in the woods on a beautiful sunny day. As we returned to the farm from the other direction, I again attached the leash and started down the other hill toward the brook, where we turn and head back uphill toward home. About halfway down the hill T-Bone saw us from his position on the pond with Jessica. Sure enough! T-Bone started barking and running toward us; Snuffy started to run toward him, dragging me behind. As we got going way too fast for me to make the corner at the bottom of the hill by the brook, I had to either let go of Snuffy, or "take the plunge!" I chose the latter action and slid sideways to the ground in a cloud of snow, still holding the leash. Unhurt, I struggled to get up, not easy with skis on, and led Snuffy toward home, cussing under my breath, while Jessica chased T-Bone toward the house.

Mason Kids
By Coulton Williams
Two weekends ago Ina's great-grandson, Sammy, spent the weekend with her at "the

farm." He and I had a great time. We played cards and went sliding. Western Maine Pee-wees had a hockey game against Gorham last Saturday. Western Maine won the game 5-2! Meanwhile, Madeline and Sophie went to a birthday party. The Richmonds got a new van. Happy cruising! Last weekend we got five to six inches of snow. Isn't that great?

Albany



by
Sheila Dyke
Greetings and hello from Albany Township. We hope that every-

one out there enjoyed the small amount of snow we received, even though it wasn't the fun, packing got-to-build-a-snowman snow the kids would love!

Our thanks to Glen for plowing the mouth of our driveway on Saturday.

Today (2/8/07) is a community day at Sunday River White Cap Lodge for free tubing and

skating. This is for SAD44 residents.

Next Wednesday is Feb. 14 — Valentine's Day.

Super Bowl Sunday has come and gone. Dana and Davey sat and watched it, and tried to get Danny interested (he was far more interested in his toy cars than watching guys run back and forth along a field with a funny shaped ball). My two big guys, though, got themselves right settled for the game; pulled the coffee table to the couch and ate a gourmet meatloaf dinner while watching the pre-game show (quite a circus, huh?). Then, they settled in with their coffee (Dana), chocolate milk

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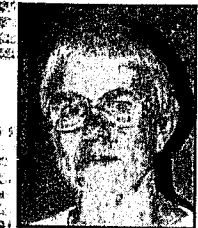
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(Davey) and apple juice, cookies, popcorn and picked their teams. They even had a bet — whoever's team lost (and with a certain point spread, of course) had to clean the bathroom by himself. There was tension in the air, folks, as both my guys watched the game, one grimacing and the other smiling with each great play and touchdown, each one of them dreading that he would be the one to clean the bathroom. But, as luck would have it, Dana had picked the Colts, and Davey the Bears. Yes, the Bears were tough and strong, but just couldn't get beyond MVP Peyton Manning's quick reflexes and accurate tosses to his teammates. So, full of dread, Davey gave his dad a forlorn look as Dad smiled with sympathy at his eldest son and wished him a good night at game's end.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

Bryant Pond



by
Alice Hoyt

Speaker at the Whitman Memorial Library Thursday, Feb. 8 (today), is Nancy Hohmann, a retired teacher from SAD17. She will be speaking on "Communicating with Animals." This starts at 10 a.m.; there is no charge and light refreshments are available.

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5 p.m., and evening service is at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting. Missions Conference runs Feb. 28 until March 4th.

Judith Grover Tent 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War will meet on Feb. 12 at the home of Alice Hoyt. This will be installation of officers.

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met at the town annex Thursday, Feb. 1, with twenty-four members and one guest present. Linda Hooker gave some very interesting information about fraud on the phone and in the mail. A potluck dinner was held. Next meeting will be at Ledgeview Memorial Home with Anita Wiles from Senior Plus speaking. New members are always welcome.

Historical Society

The Historical Society Museum exhibits many items from the former Spike Noyes Barber Shop. The late Earle Noyes donated them. They have a complete set of Chel-seaware china. It is the same pattern used by Lincoln in his Illinois home. There are also some tools used with a Model-T Ford, and fine antique furniture; you will really enjoy it when you have the opportunity to visit the museum.

Curator Larry Billings has donated some items to the museum as follows: two shaving brushes, two books on movies and two cookbooks, one

book on the Fryeburg Fair, and a book on Queen Elizabeth, which was given to him by Steve Seames.

Larry gave model lobster traps to the Tolub children, as Paul and Vicki are their grandparents. He got them at Maine Line Products.

Royalty is one of Larry's favorite subjects, and he is actually descended from King Edward IV of England. Have you researched your genealogy? The Historical Society can help you or during the off season, you can go to the local library. It is something really fun and profitable to learn about. Larry has a little glass and china to sell in his Cultural Center. Stop and see.

At the Historical Society meeting on Saturday, Feb. 10, the program is: each one is to remember changes made in your lifetime. Meeting is at the town annex and starts at 7 p.m.

South Woodstock



by
Andrea Wing

Library
News: Nancy
Hohmann of
Norway, an
animal com

mentator, will be the guest on Thursday, Feb. 8, at 10 a.m. at the Woodstock Library in Bryant Pond. Ms. Hohmann is the former teacher and head of the program for gifted students. Her program will be about connecting with animals. This program is open to the public



VETERANS/NO BOUNDARIES AT MHS—Nineteen veterans took part this week in the Maine Handicapped Skiing Veterans/No Boundaries program. MHS provides lesson in adaptive sports to any veteran with a physical disability who is medically stable and requires adaptive equipment and/or techniques to take part. Among this week's activities were downhill and cross-country skiing, snowboarding and snowshoeing. Here, visually impaired veteran Stan Munson of Belfast follows MHS guide Lynne Maxfield of Harrison.

at no charge. Light refreshments will be served; all are welcome.

I was sorry to hear about the fire in Locke Mills that burned Mark and Tammy Huston's home. It seems to happen all too often this time of year.

My daughter, Kellie, came

up and had her grandson, Landon, with her. Jessie stopped by and picked him up and brought me some late pictures of her family.

I've been trying to get the information I need to do my income taxes done; I hate to wait until the last minute.

Much sympathy to the family and friends of Alfred "Bud" Scott, who died this past week. He leaves children and other family members. He's lived in this area for many years and will be greatly missed.

I would love to have anyone who has news about family or



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other news to either give me a call or send a note for me to put in the paper.

Quote of the week: "I've learned that if at first you don't succeed, call the oldest person you know and ask them how to do it."

Waterford



by Rockie Graham

Mid-winter has hit and the cold is well, cold. The cold

nights have wreaked havoc on the woodpile, but many of the days have been sunny and warmer, while still being cold. It is finally winter in the North Country, even if we have very little snow.

Although I am not currently the manager of the Transfer Station, I still get the complaints and am still attending training in sessions. DEP has them about twice a year and someone from Waterford has to attend.

Last night Dave and I attended the selectmen's meeting along with about 15 other residents. It was the Whizzer show in full throttle. He cautioned the media not to take notes on something of import because it would embarrass Meg, his wife. I wish he wouldn't do that to Meg, she is such a nice person. She deserves better. In any case, although he hasn't declared himself as a candidate for selectman, he refuses

to say he won't run under the table as he has before. That seems so unfair to candidates who are putting themselves out there and running by the rules. But it is up to the people of Waterford to vote in whom they want. The election is Friday, March 2, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Please remember to vote. Town Meeting is the next day, March 3. Get a copy of the town warrant at the Town Office in two weeks.

In other news, on Feb. 10 there is a surprise retirement party for Phil Taylor at the Bethel Inn. Phil is hanging up his shields. It begins at 5:30 p.m.

Also on the 10th there is another workshop on grieving. It is at the West Parish Congregational Church from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. FMI: call Rosabelle Tiffit at 824-2053.

That is it for this week as we have to leave for Farmington. Have a great week and stay warm.

Greenwood City

by Wayne Hakala

The mayor of Hicks Pond sent me a picture of the painting he completed recently. It's called a "Winter Sunrise." You can feel that crisp cold; see the vivid colors combining into a glorious day and yet you know the coziness within the home. Keep up the good work Mr. Mayor.

Becky Kostovick and two daughters visited Anita and

dropped off some items Anita had ordered from the girl's school. They are always working on one project or another.

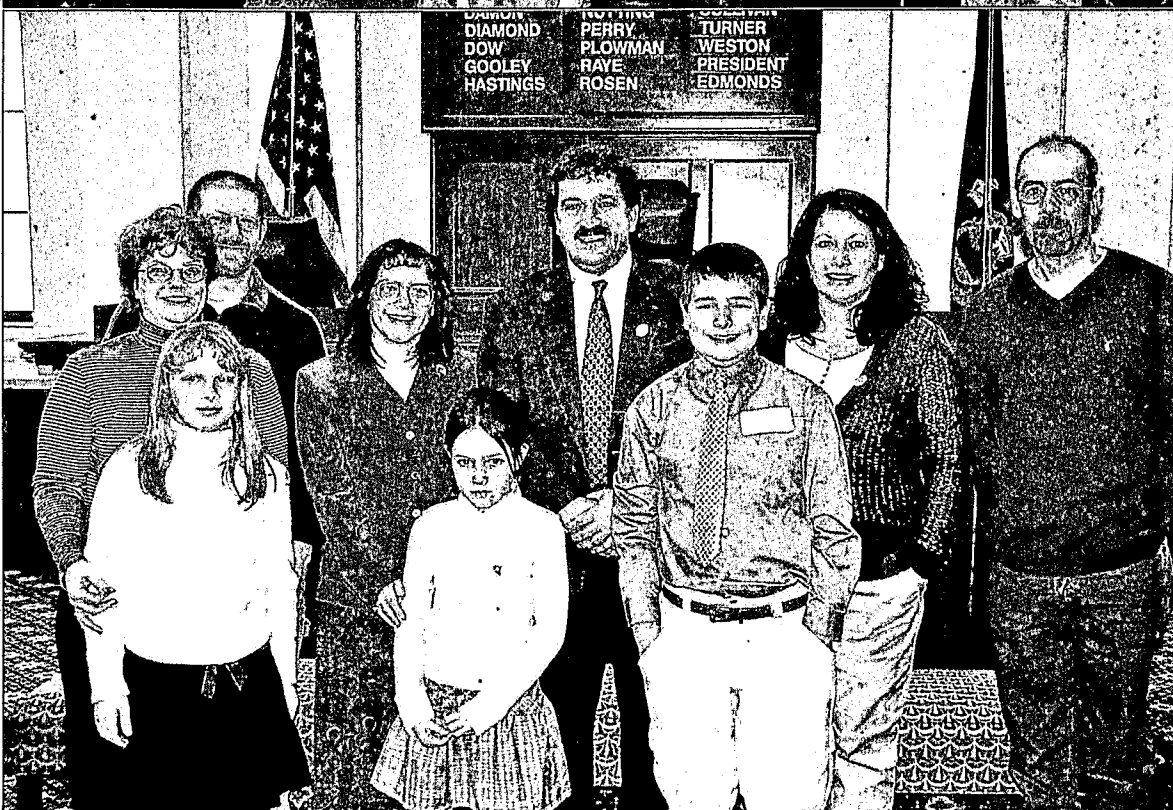
Jane Chandler and her puppy Sandy came to cheer Anita up. Wicked nice hugs from Jane and fun with Sandy. Sandy is a yellow lab and always ready for attention.

Anita had her cast removed last Tuesday. She was very happy with that and thought twice about when the doctor put her in a big, old, fancy ski boot. Heavy, too, and he said no weight on it for another three weeks. At least she can take it off at night for a better night's rest. The left ankle is healing really good from the fusing. She will have up and down movement, but not to the side. Pain will be gone and that is a good thing.

After the doctor's she wanted to get some of them wicked-good sandwiches from Barbara's Chowder House. So up 26 we went to West Paris. Course I had to get some delicious fish chowder. I could have stayed and talked much longer with Carlos and Barbara, but the afternoon was gone and more things to do. Really nice people and looking forward to many more visits.

As so many of the townspeople know, we are working very hard to make a workable town budget. We can expect to see a number of cuts in areas and even more next year with the large increase due to the Region Nine expansion. And then there is the one-size-fits-all program from Augusta to reduce the school districts. Bet we will be paying even more for less.

A number of the town's children are enjoying the skiing thanks to Ski Mt. Abram and the recreational committee. More volunteers are needed to help keep programs running for our kids. Some of these programs, such as the team sports really help to develop them mentally and physically. The football team is really a good



SENATOR HOSTS PAGES AND PARENTS—Several area students, hosted by state Sen. Bruce Bryant, served as honorary pages recently in the Maine Senate. At top is Kurt Mason (far right) of Telstar Middle School and his mom, Christen (next to him). Bottom: Rebecca Miller of Bethel, Gabrielle Stone of Bethel and Ricky James of Hanover, students at Crescent Park School.

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example and the little league ball also. And then, too, there is the Maggie's Park for hiking and the Town Beach. All these wonderful areas need a few good hands to help. And it can be a lot of fun doing and rewarding.

The two babies of Angie and Staci are growing by leaps and bounds. Expect Autumn and Jazmyn will be running the Town Office soon. Anita and I have pictures up on the Haka-la Wall of Fame. Autumn and Jazmyn join a large group of little ones there.

Keep it happening on the sunny side.

From Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

The 33rd annual Bethel Historical Society Heritage Day will be held on Saturday, Feb. 17 at the society's Regional History Center from 1 to 4 p.m. At the Dr. Moses Mason House, special tours of the museum will be held with warm Indian pudding served from the hearth of the winter kitchen. At the O'Neil Robinson House, there will be exhibits, historical videos (including one focusing on the history of ski clubs and winter carnivals in Maine, particularly dealing with the Chisholm (Rumford) and Pineland (Andover) ski clubs), traditional craft demonstrations and exhibits, plus the museum shop will be open. Everyone is welcome.

Oral History Workshop

A free Oral History Workshop will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center on Tuesday, Feb. 27. The presenter is Jo Radner, Ph.D., past president of the American Folklore Society and retired professor from American University, who will cover such topics as developing an oral history project, understanding the dynamics of interviewing people, and dealing with legal issues and what to do with material collected.

This workshop is made possible in part from a "We the People" grant from the Maine Humanities Council in collaboration with the Bethel Historical Society, Western Maine Girls Association, Western Moun-

tains Senior College and the Telstar Middle School. There will be a small seventh-grade group of girls and members of the Senior College present to work on an intergenerational project.

Anyone interested in learning more about oral history is encouraged to attend and bring a bag lunch.

The Maine Girls Association will provide snacks during the day and the Bethel Historical Society will furnish hot water for coffee, tea and hot chocolate. Those having questions or wishing to register for this workshop should call Kate Goldberg at 824-3459 or 462-2136 (cell) or e-mail her at: Goldberg@megalink.net.

Genealogical Methods and Sources Course

A five-session course called "Cousin to Cousin: Genealogical Methods and Sources" will be featured this winter and early spring at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center beginning on Wednesday, March 14, and continue for the next several weeks each Wednesday through April 11, from 1 to 3:30 p.m. in the Dr. Moses Mason House Meeting Room. Conducting the course will be society Life Member Steve Seames, a Greenwood native, who is a graduate of the University of Maine at Farmington and has also studied at the Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Services. For several years Seames was on the staff of the Maine Historical Society as assistant manuscripts curator and also served as night librarian in the Newspaper Library of the Portland Press Herald/Evening Express/Maine Sunday Telegram. Most recently, he was military archivist and museum director for the Department of Defense in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and is presently on active duty leave. His associations with the Bethel Historical Society extend back to the 1970s when as a Gould Academy student, he spent several weeks as an intern in the research library. He has made many presentations at genealogy workshops and taught classes on genealogical research with a special focus on wills, deeds, and little-known military and legal documents. The class sessions will deal with a wide variety of genealogical sources and

provide assistance on specific family history questions.

The course is open to everyone interested in learning about family genealogy. Course fees, payable at the first class, are \$15 for Bethel Historical Society members and \$20 for nonmembers. To register or to gain further information, please call the society office at 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

From Bethel Library

Betsy Davis Retallack will be reading her poetry at the Bethel Library on Wednesday evening, Feb. 21. The reading will be held upstairs in the newly renovated computer room.

Betsy has self published two books: "Poet's Hill" in 2005 and "Hearing Voices From Poet's Hill" in 2006. One of her poems was published in the anthology of "The Best American Poetry" of 2006.

Betsy grew up in Bethel and now lives with her husband and two sons in Beverly Mass., at the foot of Poet's Hill. All three books are available at Books N' Things in Bethel.

From Western Mountains Senior College

The second in the series of workshops on Recognizing and Coping with Loss and Grief takes place on Saturday, Feb. 10, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel.

This program will focus on the changing thoughts, feelings and actions of toddlers to teens as they react to a death in their lives. Suggestions for parents to help their grieving children at each developmental age group will be presented.

Speakers include Jake Lariviere, coordinator, and Gail L. Sasseville, BA, MA facilitator, Grieving Children and Teens Program, and David Walton, MS. Ed., LCPC, school counselor, Meroby Elementary School.

This "To Your Health" special series is sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Adult Education, Bethel Family Health Center, Androscoggin Home

Care and Hospice Bereavement and Grief Support Services, and Wayne Duplessis, counselor. The workshops are free and open to the public.

A Winter Walk with Dr. Rick

WMSC members are invited to enjoy a winter afternoon wandering the woods near Sunday River with Dr. Rick Churchill on Sunday, Feb. 18, beginning at 2 p.m. Dr. Rick, Newry resident, is an educator and associate editor for "People, Places, Plants" magazine.

With Dr. Rick as our guide, we'll see the winter world with new eyes. We'll meet at the Sunday River Inn and Cross Country Center and head out from there. Depending on conditions, bring snowshoes or sturdy winter boots. If you don't own snowshoes, come a little early and arrange to rent them at the center. Pre-registration is appreciated; call J. Cressy at 824-0508. There is no charge for the walk. WMSC members are welcome to bring a friend.

Travels of Ben the Bear

Molly Bruce had a special reason for being in the audience at Gould Academy's McLaughlin Auditorium on Sunday afternoon. She sat mesmerized as Bob and Cynthia Moran-Laux showed photos and explained their recent trip to Vietnam and Cambodia, where they attended the Rotary Hai Lang Library dedication. Molly saw the happy faces of children in orphanages and schools enjoying gifts of toys and stuffed animals, which she and her classmates had given to the Laux's for these children. She also saw Ben the Bear posing throughout the villages where the Laux's traveled. The Laux's had brought Ben along so Molly's class could track his travels in pictures, which they e-mailed to her class at Crescent Park School to enjoy as a private tour.

Many members of a very receptive audience lingered with the Laux's long after the program was over with their many questions about

this outstanding presentation. The program was sponsored for the public by Western Mountains Senior College and SAD44 Community Education.

From Western Foothills Land Trust

Depending on snow conditions, the Western Foothills Land Trust will hold its annual cross-country ski event on Feb. 10. This year it will be held at Bob and Mary Van Nest's farm in Norway, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

This event will be one of the Trust's annual fundraisers to benefit the Stewardship Fund which underwrites such activities as monitoring of ease-

ments, baseline data collection, mapping and legal fees. The Trust is committed to the conservation of open land in the Oxford Hills and surrounding area.

Interested parties are urged to call a day or two ahead to see if the event is still on (743-8104).

Suggested donations are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children 12 and up, under 12 are free.

Dean's list

Jillian Kimball of Albany Township was named to the honors list for the fall semester at Saint Joseph's College in Standish. The honors list includes students with a 3.0 to 3.49 grade point average.

CORRECTION

PETER KENNEY A TIS SKI COACH—A photo of the Telstar High School Alpine Ski Team in last week's Citizen should have noted that Peter Kenney serves as the on-snow coach for the team.

School Lunch Week of Feb. 12

Telstar and Middle School Lunches

Monday: Sloppy Joe over rice or biscuit, tossed salad, fruit bar, choice of milk.

Tuesday: Baked ham, mashed potatoes, carrots, tossed salad, fruit bar, spice cake, choice of milk.

Wednesday: Rice Bar. Choices of brown rice or white rice, Chinese veggies or broccoli, dippers or chicken, fortune cookie, tossed salad, fruit bar, choice of milk.

Thursday: Nacho chips, taco sauce, salsa dip, cheese, tossed salad, fruit bar, choice of milk.

Friday: Soup Bar. Chicken and rice or tomato soup or cream of broccoli, 1/2 tuna sandwich, tossed salad, fruit bar, choice of milk.

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Tuesday: Chicken fajita wrap, salsa/cheese, corn, salad bar, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Pepperoni pizza, salad bar, fruit milk, Valentine cookie.

Thursday: Beef stew, biscuit, salad bar, fruit, milk.

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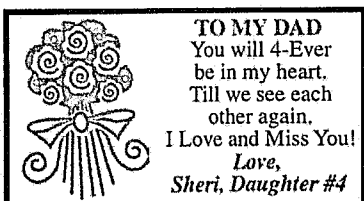
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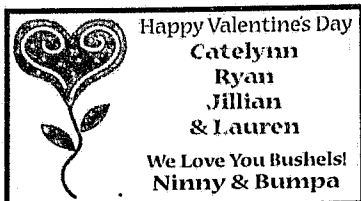
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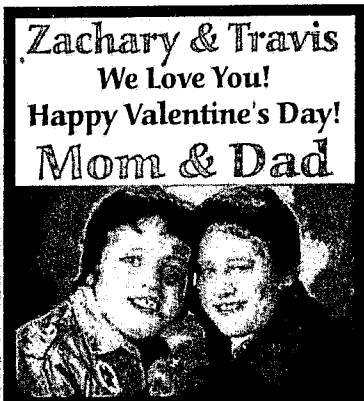
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Catelynn
Ryan
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We Love You Bushels!
Ninny & Bumpa



TO ME ME
We Love You A Lot!
Love
Jessie, Justin, Erica, Alex
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Happy Valentine's Day
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I Love You!
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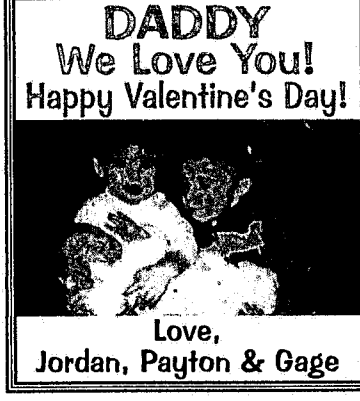
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We Love You!
Happy Valentine's Day!
Mom & Dad



WE LOVE YOU!
HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY!
LOVE, JASON, JORDAN,
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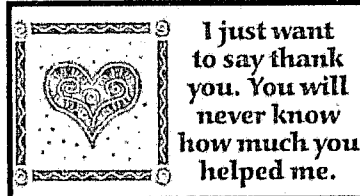
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Dani & Tom
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Nana & Bappy



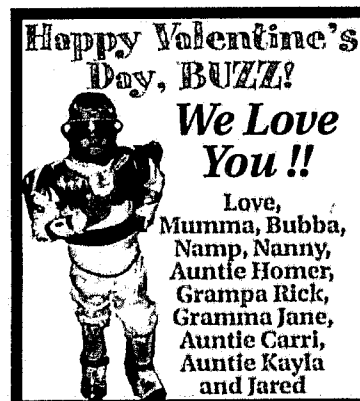
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Namp, Nanny,
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Grampa Jane,
Auntie Carri,
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Events Calendar

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. For more information, call Mini Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.
Public Skating at Hebron Academy's Robinson Arena through March 4, 2007 from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$1 for 12 and under and \$2 for everyone else. Parking at arena parking lot just off Route 119.
Every Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. — The Yet To Be Named Banjo Club practices in the Commons of the Fare Share Market at 477 Main Street, Norway. Interested banjoists are invited to join. The public is welcome to come in and listen. FMI: call Alan Hamilton at 875-2680.
Thru March 5 — High fire porcelain work of ceramic artists Angus Graham G.A. '01 and Andrew Channania at Gould Academy's Owen Art Gallery. FMI: call 824-7741.
Local Volunteers Needed For The American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days during February and March to assist in taking orders, packing, and delivering daffodils for its long-standing fundraising program to help raise money to support the fight against cancer. FMI: contact Ray Kautzman at 373-3724 or the American Cancer Society at (800) ACS-2345 anytime, day or night.
7 p.m. (second Tuesday each month) — Open mike original poetry reading at Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene.

Thursday, Feb. 8

10 a.m. — Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, will present guest speaker Nancy Hohmann who will speak about the ability to communicate with animals. She was featured in a Sunday edition of the Sun Journal in mid-December. Open to the public at no charge. Light refreshments served. All are welcome.

6 p.m. — Bethel Lions Club meeting at the United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2107.

Friday, Feb. 9

7 p.m. — Holistic Film Series, quality films with heart and soul followed by engaging discussion. This month: "Gabrielle." What if you had seen clips of your life before you were born? Would you still choose to be born? Length: 15 minutes, plus "The Limited," a powerful film about a mysterious train that we all board at one time in our life. Length: 11 minutes, plus "Milo 55160." Milo is your average nameless office boy — in the afterlife! Length: 20 minutes. Free at Telstar High School Library, donations gratefully accepted. Sponsored by Western Maine Holistic Health Council. FMI: 824-2204.

Saturday, Feb. 10

9:30 to 11:30 a.m. — Workshop: "How Teens and Children Grieve Differently" will be held at Garland Chapel of West Parish Congregational Church, sponsored by Western Mountains Senior College, SAD44 Community Education, Bethel Family Health Center, Androscoggin Home Care and Hospice and Wayne DuPlessis, local counselor. FMI: call Rosabelle Tift at 824-2053 or Wendy Iseman at 824-8610.

10 a.m. or 1 p.m. — "Hurricane of Change" auditions, sign-ups, information for Foothills Arts Center multimedia production. At Mt. Blue High School auditorium. Speaking and solo singing parts for adults and kids grades 7 and up. Chorus for adults and kids grades 5 and up. FMI: 778-0448 or e-mail info@foothillsarts.org.

Noon to 8 p.m. — Benefit at Locke Mills Legion Hall for Mark and Tammy Huston, who recently lost their home to fire. Music, 50/50 raffle, door prizes. Supper from 5 to 6:30 p.m. FMI: 393-7025.

2 to 4 p.m. — Rabies Clinic at Andover Fire Department. Cost: \$12.

7 to 10 p.m. — Old Time Dance at the Locke Mills Town Hall. Music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society.

7:30 to 10:30 p.m. — Contra Dance at Shelburne, N.H., Town Hall. Live music provided by local group, "Shelburne Addition." Dances will be called by Chip Hedler of Norwich, Vt. All ages and experience levels welcome and all dances will be taught. No partner needed. Non-dancing listeners are welcome to come and enjoy the music. Cost: \$5 per person, children under 5 free. Call (603) 466-2621 with questions.

Sunday, Feb. 11

12:30 to 3 p.m. — Oxford County Arc Snowmobile Ride-in to benefit individuals with mental retardation,

319 Swain Road, Rumford. Snowmobilers arrive at Horizons to provide rides to individuals that may not otherwise have had the opportunity. Beans, hot dogs and coffee will be available. FMI: Catherine Johnson at 364-4561.

1 to 5 p.m. — Father and Son/Daughter Day. Winter Hike and Nature Crafts. We'll track and learn about our local wild critters then warm up by the woodstove and make our own nature crafts of these animals and their environments. Dinner included, \$10 per person. Sunset Summit 875-2220, e-mail ffrindzy@megalink.net.

2 to 4 p.m. — Mystery 4-H Club Valentine Doll Tea Party at West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel. Tickets: \$8 in advance or \$10 at door. FMI: call Katlyn Keane at 824-2608 or Megan Bonney at 824-0284.

Tuesday, Feb. 13

6 to 8 p.m. — Reiki Share Group, at SpiritWings, 57 Main Street, Bethel. Open to Reiki practitioners of all levels and lineages. FMI: 824-2204.

6:30 p.m. — Mundt-Allen Unit 81 American Legion Auxiliary potluck supper/regular meeting at the Post home on Vernon Street, Bethel.

7 p.m. — Open Mike original poetry reading at Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2366. Last month thirty folks attended for a standing-room-only evening of original work ranging from introspective to the political. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene. Who said the '50s are over!

Wednesday, Feb. 14

11 a.m. — Bethel Senior Citizens Club meeting/ luncheon will be held at the West Parish Congregational Church.

Thursday, Feb. 15

6 p.m. — Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary annual Oyster Stew Supper at the hall on Gore Road, Locke Mills. All legion members are encouraged to attend. The auxiliary will have a short meeting after, if it is necessary.

Friday, Feb. 16

7 p.m. — Gould Academy's Performing Arts Series presents: Burlington Taiko, Japanese Drumming at Bingham Hall, Church Street, Bethel. Tickets on sale at door only: \$6 for adults and \$4 for students. FMI: 824-3575.

Saturday, Feb. 17

1 to 4 p.m. — Heritage Day at Bethel Historical Society's Mason and Robinson houses. In addition to ongoing and new exhibits, there will be craft demonstrations, historical films, and Indian pudding served from the hearth in the Mason House kitchen (admission to period rooms free to members; small fee for nonmembers). FMI: 824-2908.

Sunday, Feb. 18

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series presents: The Gizmo Guys, Juggling Dynamos at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6; Adults \$6 advance/\$8. For tickets or more information: 824-3575.

Tuesday, Feb. 20

7 p.m. — Black Diamond Family Entertainment Series presents: Mr. Smythe — The Caretaker, Master of the Ridiculous at the Grand Ballroom, Grand Summit Resort Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort, Newry. Tickets: kids (6-12) \$4 advance/\$6; Adults \$6 advance/\$8. For tickets or information: 824-3575.

Wednesday, Feb. 21

7 p.m. — Poetry Reading by Betsy Davis Retallack, formerly of Bethel, will be held at the Bethel Library in the upstairs computer room. She has self published two books: "Poet's Hill" in 2005 and "Hearing Voices From



Above: Alex Bailey reading while Ian Sotir and Brian Schroy cheer him on.

SECOND TUESDAY

Second Tuesday is an open mic original poetry reading on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Mouse and Bean, 63 Main Street, Bethel. For more information call 824-2366. Last month thirty folks showed up for a standing room only evening of original work ranging from the introspective to the political. Come read or just have coffee and take in the scene. Who said the Fifties are over?

Poet's Hill" in 2006. One of her poems was published in the anthology of "The Best American Poetry" of 2006. All three books are available at Books N Things in Bethel.

7 p.m. — Spiritual Book Group. This month: "The Celestine Prophecy" by James Redfield — an ongoing discussion at The Fountain of Wisdom, 15 Tyler Street, Bethel. FMI: 824-2204.

Saturday, Feb. 24

Oxford County Republicans' annual Lincoln Day Dinner will be held at the Bethel Inn Conference Center, beginning with a social hour at 5:30 p.m., with cash bar, a 6:30 p.m. dinner with choice of London Broiled Sirloin or Chicken Marsala. Raffles and auction during evening. Tickets: \$30 per person. Checks payable to Oxford County Republican Committee should be sent to Becky Kendall, PO Box 472, Bethel, ME 04217 before Feb. 10. No tickets sold at door. FMI: 824-3196 or e-mail beckyk@megalink.net. All Republicans urged to bring friends and join the celebration.

Monday, Feb. 26

7 p.m. — One Book One Community kick off of "A Taste of China" will be held at the Forum at Oxford Hills Comprehensive High School. Copies of "Yeh Yeh's House" by Evelina Chao, the selection for Oxford Hills Reads will be available for purchase at \$5 each.

Tuesday, Feb. 27

9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. — Oral History Workshop will be held at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center. The presenter is Jo Radner, Ph.D., past president of the American Folklore Society and retired professor from American University. Free. FMI: 824-2908.

Wednesday, March 14

1 to 3:30 p.m. — "Cousin to Cousin: Genealogical Methods and Sources," a five-session course, will be begin and continue each Wednesday afternoon through April 11 at the Bethel Historical Society Mason House Exhibit Hall/Meeting Room. Conducting the course will be Society Life Member Stephen T. Seames, of Greenwood. The course is open to anyone; the fee, payable at the first class, is \$15 for Bethel Historical Society members and \$20 for nonmembers. To register or for further information, call 824-2908 or (800) 824-2910.

Saturday, March 24

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. — Indoor Flea Market by Mundt-Allen Unit 81 American Legion Auxiliary at the Post Home on Vernon Street, Bethel. Any person wishing to purchase a table for \$15 may do so by contacting Pat McCartney at 836-3575 or Jeri Greenwell at 824-2532.

It's always wise to call ahead

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Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Speaker/Discussion Meeting. Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's 12 Step/Traditions Meeting. Fridays at 7:30pm at Bethel United Methodist Church.

ADDICTION HELP

Narconon, a nonprofit public benefit organization that specializes in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers FREE assessments and more than 11,000 local referrals through the 800 line. Drug addiction can be overcome and Narconon can help. Call (800) 556-8885 or visit www.drugrehab.net.

ALCOHOL & DRUG COUNSELING

Alcohol and drug counseling. Saturdays at Bethel Counseling Center, 16 Parkway (Professional Building). Tom Kelly, LADC, 357-7354

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm

at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 3-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

POST PARTUM SUPPORT GROUP

"Meet the Midwives" meets from 5-6:30 every first Tuesday of the month, and the Post Partum Support Group meets every fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30-7:30. The meetings take place at Blue Moon Midwives, 176 Main Street, Norway, directly across from Stephen's Memorial Hospital. For more information, call 207-739-2800 or visit www.bluemoonmidwives.com

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday, Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 930 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9 am; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Rev. Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. All are welcome. FMI: 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff. Morning worship 10:45am-Noon with a Sunday School 9:30-10:30am. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Rt. 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church- Pastor Kevin Bellinger (824-2239). Sundays: Sunday School for adults and children at 9am; Morning worship service at 10am; Kids Klub (4 yrs-6th grade) and Youth Group (6th-12th grades) at 5:30pm; Prayer fellowship Wednesday at 7pm.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman. 10 a.m. worship, child care available. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m. FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows- Effective October 14: Saturday mass will be at 4:30pm. Rev. Angelo Levesque. 364-4556.

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross. Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3333 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally. 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church- Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at North Waterford Congregational Church. Church School (grade school age children), after school on Tuesdays at 3:30 at Stoneham Town Office/Fire Station. Adult Church School Mondays at 7:15pm at Marjorie Kimball's home. Rev. George Froberg. 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levigen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service

10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m. FMI 603-466-2851.

Gorham Congregational Church - Interim minister Rev. Kent Schneider. Sunday morning worship and church school at 10:30am. Communion is celebrated the first Sunday of each month. FMI 603-466-2136.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints- 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5681.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

Sunday River Christian Ministry - With Rev. Don Coverdale and gospel singer Cynthia Libby. On mountain interdenominational worship service held every Sunday during ski season. 10:30 am to 11:30 am. Located in "Upper Room" of River House, South Ridge area. Come as you are, for our service of peace, prayer, and praise! For more information: voice-mail: 824-5896

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. 5 Morrill Rd. Rt. 118 (catercorner to Norway Country Club), Norway. Call 824-4099 FMI or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Henry Male Sunday morning service 10:15 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after Sunday School at 9 a.m.

North Paris Federation- Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singersation thru Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St. Sunday service 8 and 10am. Church school and child care 10am. Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

St. Catherine's: Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass; Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

OXFORD

St. Mary's - Saturday 4 p.m. Vigile Mass. Our Lady of Ransom: Sunday 10:30 a.m. Mass.

RUMFORD

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am. Sunday prayer meeting at 6pm. Wednesday night bible study and youth group 7pm 170 Andover Road FMI call 364-3856 or see our website at http://www.forministry.com/usmacg/24p.asp

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational. Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris. 9 a.m. W-8:30p 474-2865

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 9:15 am. Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45 am. Sunday School Grades 1-6 10:15 am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m. Monday Diaconate meeting first Monday of the month. Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi Weekly 9:30-11:30am. Adult Choir Wednesday evenings. Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm. church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

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THURSDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 8, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Smallville		Movie: "Back to the Future Part II"				Whose?		The 700 Club		
(6) 207	Inside	Name Earl	The Office	Scrubs	30 Rock		ER		News	
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Ugly Betty			Men In Trees			News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Maine Exp.	Made In	Chicago-Earth	Austin City Limits			Charlie Rose		
(22) College Basketball: Notre Dame at DePaul				College Basketball: Memphis at UAB				SportsCenter		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		TNA IMPACT!	Pros vs. Joes			UFC	Wild World	
(18) Entertain	The Insider	Survivor: Fiji		CSI: Crime Scn				News		
(41) Sports	Dest Wild	Poker Superstars		Best Damn Sports Show				College Basketball		
(15) Movie: "Robots" Cont'd		Inside the NFL		Movie: "Firewall"				Music	Real Sex 24	
(17) Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Seventeen Again"			Life Derek	Phil		Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) "Carillo's Way" Cont'd		Movie: "Harlem Nights"			Movie: "The Hills Have Eyes"					
(20) NHL Hockey: Carolina Hurricanes at Boston Bruins				Bruins	SportsDesk	Biscuit		SportsDesk	Hot Stove	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Murder in the Hamptons"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Movie: "Something to Talk About"				
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Naked	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) "City of Ghosts" Cont'd		Movie: "Conan the Barbarian"						Movie: "Commando"		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Nashville Star		Law Order: CI		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: NY		The First 48		Miami Manhunt				
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "Mimic"				WGN News	Funniest	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

FRIDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 9, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park	
(32) Smallville		Movie: "Back to the Future Part III"				Whose?		The 700 Club		
(6) 207	Inside	1 vs. 100			Las Vegas		Law & Order		News	
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Grey's Anatomy			20/20			News		
(10) News-Lehrer		Wash Wk	Maine	NOW	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Wait God	My Family	MontyPyth	
(22) SportsCtr.	NBA	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Cleveland Cavaliers						NBA Basketball: Bulls at Warriors		
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		Pros vs. Joes		Pros vs. Joes		Disorderly Con.		
(18) Entertain	The Insider	Ghost Whisperer		Close to Home		NUMB3RS		News		
(41) Celtics	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Boston Celtics					Sports	Sports	Final Score		
(15) Inside the NFL		Movie: "Jarhead"				Rome		Extras	Norbit	
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Montana	Cory	Movie: "Kim Possible: So the Drama"		K. Possible		Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) "The Dukes of Hazzard"		Movie: "Striptease"				Movie: "16 Blocks"				
(20) Hockey	College Hockey: Vermont at Maine					SportsDesk	Weekly	SportsDesk	SportsPlus	
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Stranger in My Bed"				Gay	Gay	
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Movie: "My Best Friend's Wedding"				Movie: "Jerry Maguire"				
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Nicktoon	Nicktoon	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Movie: "McQ" Cont'd		Movie: "North to Alaska"						Movie: "Jeremiah Johnson"		
(26) Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Monk		Psych		House		
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Shrek If You Know What I Did Last Friday the 13th				WGN News	Paid Prog.	Sex & City	Scrubs	
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360				

SATURDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 10, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Scent of a Woman"							Without a Trace	
(32) Movie: "Au Pair II" Cont'd		Movie: "Stepmom"							Movie: "Steel Magnolias"	
(6) Maine	Tip-off	Dateline NBC			Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		News	Sat. Night
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Charlie B	Winne	Movie: "Bringing Down the House"				News	CSI: Miami	
(10) Made In	Maine Exp.	The Greatest Good		At Close Range		Ultimate Adventure		Red Green	Red Green	
(22) College Basketball		College GameDay		College Basketball: Florida at Kentucky				SportsCenter		
(34) UFC Unleashed		UFC Unleashed		Ultimate Knockouts		Ultimate Knockouts 2		TNA IMPACT!		
(18) NFL Football	AFC-NFC Playoffs Cont'd			Cold Case		48 Hours Mystery		News	Da Vinci	
(41) Track	ShoShape	Fishing	Dest Wild	Build	The Game	Poker	Final Score	Poker Superstars		
(17) Date Movie	Cont'd	Movie: "Final Destination 3"			Boxing: Luis Collazo vs. Shane Mosley					
(15) Montana	Montana	K. Possible	K. Possible	K. Possible	So Raven	So Raven		Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) U.S. Marshall	Cont'd	Movie: "The 40-Year-Old Virgin"			Movie: "ATL"					
(20) NHL Hockey: New York Islanders at Boston Bruins				Bruins	SportsDesk	Biscuit		SportsDesk	Outdoors	
(44) Movie: "Dinner With Friends"				Movie: "Shattered Hearts"				Medium		
(5) Men in Black	Cont'd	Movie: "Men in Black II"			Movie: "Blue Streak"					
(24) SpongeBob	SpongeBob	SpongeBob	Naked	Drake	Mr. Meaty	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) Jeremiah Johnson		Movie: "A Bronx Tale"						Movie: "Taxi Driver"		
(26) Psych		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law Order: CI		
(27) Sell House	Sell House	Flip This House		Flip This House		The First 48		American Justice		
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest		King Man of Peace		WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	24	
(39) This Week at War		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		Special Investigations		

SUNDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 11, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			Stone Undercover		Red Sox	Red Sox	Without a Trace	
(32) Movie: "Home Alone"					Movie: "Home Alone"					
(6) Grease	You're the One That I Want				Apprentice: Los Angeles		Crossing Jordan		News	Sports
(8) Makeover Home		Makeover Home			Desperate Housewives		Brothers & Sisters		News	Smallville
(10) Tobacco	Money Peds	Nature			Masterpiece Theatre		Short List		Charlie Rose	
(22) NBA Live	NBA Live	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Phoenix Suns						SportsCenter		
(34) Movie: "Sniper 2"					Movie: "Sniper"				CSI: Crime Scn	
(18) 60 Minutes		The 49th Annual Grammy Awards							News	
(41) NBA Basketball		Postgame		PRIDE Fighting		Knockouts	Final Score	Poker Dome Challenge		
(15) Star Wars: Episode II				Rome		Extras		Movie: "King Kong"		
(17) Montana	Suite Life	Movie: "Life Is Ruff"			Replace	Phil	Sadie	Suite Life	So Raven	
(18) Animal House		Movie: "War of the Worlds"						Movie: "Scarface"		
(20) Basketball	Outdoors	Outdoors	Outdoors	The Buzz	Biscuit	SportsDesk	Red Sox	SportsDesk	Poker	
(44) Movie: "Nora Roberts Montana Sky"				Movie: "A Valentine Card"					Grey's Anatomy	
(5) Men in Black	Cont'd	Movie: "Ocean's Eleven"						Movie: "Ocean's Eleven"		
(24) Drake	Just Jordan	Zoey 101	Unfabulous	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	
(25) A Bronx Tale	Cont'd	Movie: "Open Range"							Movie: "Rio Grande"	
(26) Movie: "American Pie 2"					Movie: "American Wedding"				Law & Order: SVU	
(27) Cold Case Files		The First 48		The First 48		Intervention				
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest		American Idol Rewind		Ultimate Blackjack Tour		WGN News	Replay	Sex & City
(39) CNN Live Sunday		Special Investigations		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		Special Investigations		

MONDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 12, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park
(32) Lincoln Heights		Wildfire			Movie: "Satan's School for Girls"				The 700 Club	
(6) 207	Inside	Deal or No Deal			Heroes		Studio 60-Sunset Strip		News	
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Wife Swap			Supernanny		What About Brian		News	
(10) News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow			American Experience				Charlie Rose	
(22) College Basketball: Louisville at Pittsburgh					College Basketball: Oklahoma State at Texas				SportsCenter	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn			This Is TNA				UFC Unleashed	
(18) Entertain	The Insider	How I Met	The Class		Two Men	Rules	CSI: Miami		News	
(41) Sports	Dest Wild	Poker Superstars			Best Damn Dunks		Sports		Best Damn Dunks	
(15) Movie: "Aquamarine"			Norbit		Rome		Real Sports		"Final Destination 3"	
(17) Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Genius"			So Raven		Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18) "Screamers" Cont'd		Movie: "ATL"			MAX on Set		Movie: "Land of the Dead"			
(20) Hot Stove	Pregame	College Hockey: Beanpot Tournament Final -- Teams TBA					SportsDesk		Hot Stove	SportsDesk
(44) Desperate Housewives		Gay	Gay		Movie: "Nora Roberts' Blue Smoke"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Family Guy	Family Guy	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	
(25) "Open Range" Cont'd		Movie: "Hero"							Movie: "National Lampoon's Vacation"	
(26) Law Order: CI		Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show: Opening Night							Law & Order: SVU	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			The Sopranos		The Sopranos		Dog	
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest Home Videos			Funniest Home Videos		WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Scrubs
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

TUESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 13, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil			Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park
(32) Smallville		Movie: "Rodgers & Hammerstein's Cinderella"					Lincoln Heights		The 700 Club	
(6) 207	Inside	Dateline NBC			Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		News	
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos			Primetime		Boston Legal		News	
(10) News-Lehrer		Nova			Frontline		Independent Lens		Charlie Rose	
(22) College Basketball: Kentucky at Tennessee					College Basketball: Michigan at Michigan State				SportsCenter	
(34) CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn			CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: NY	
(18) Entertain	The Insider	NCIS			The Unit		Without a Trace		News	
(41) Sports	In Focus	Poker Superstars			Best Damn Sports Show		Sports		Best Damn Sports Show	
(15) "Star Wars: Episode III -- Revenge of the Sith"					The Sopranos		Movie: "Kiss Kiss, Bang Bang"			
(17) Phil	Suite Life	Movie: "Go Figure"					Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18) "The Hills Have Eyes"		Movie: "Doom"					Final Cut		Movie: "Just Friends"	
(20) NHL Hockey: Edmonton Oilers at Boston Bruins							Bruins		SportsDesk	Biscuit
(44) Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba		Movie: "Lucky 7"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5) Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Sex & City	Sex & City	Friends	Friends	Sex & City	Sex & City	
(24) OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	
(25) "Boiling Point" Cont'd		Movie: "Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines"							Movie: "Commando"	
(26) Law Order: CI		Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show: Closing Night							Law Order: CI	
(27) CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami			Dog the Bounty Hunter		Dog the Bounty Hunter		King Cars	King Cars
(12) Funniest Home Videos		Funniest			Funniest		Funniest		WGN News at Nine	Sex & City
(39) The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

WEDNESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 14, 2007

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		Jeopardy!	News	Frasier	Frasier	South Park	South Park
(32)	Smallville		Movie: "A Cinderella Story"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	207	Inside	Friday Night Lights		Deal or No Deal		Medium		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lopez	Knights	Jim	In Case	Lost		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Ballroom Chall		The Hidden Epidemic: Heart Disease in America				Charlie Rose	
(22)	College Basketball: Ohio State at Penn State				College Basketball: Duke at Boston College				SportsCenter	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		UFC's Ultimate Fight Night 2				Pros vs. Joes	
18	Entertain	The Insider	Jericho		Criminal Minds		CSI: NY		News	
(41)	Celtics	NBA Basketball: Milwaukee Bucks at Boston Celtics				Sports		Sports	Final Score	
(15)	Movie: "The Interpreter"					Extras	Real Sports		Rome	
(17)	Suite Life	Cory	Movie: "Read It and Weep"			So Raven	Life Derek	Phil	Suite Life	So Raven
(18)	Night-2	Movie: "Brokeback Mountain"								
		Movie: "ATL"								
(20)	Be a Bruin		College Basketball: Vermont at Maine				SportsDesk	Mtn. Report	SportsDesk	SportsPlus
(44)	Still Stnd	Still Stnd	Reba	Reba	Movie: "Shall We Dance?"				Will-Grace	Will-Grace
(5)	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	Raymond	King	King	Thin Line-Love and Hate	
(24)	OddParents	Neutron	SpongeBob	Full House	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing	Growing
(25)	Movie: "Hidalgo" Cont'd		Movie: "Original Sin"					Movie: "No Way Out"		
(26)	Law Order: CI		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: SVU		Law & Order: CI		Law Order: CI	
(27)	CSI: Miami		CSI: Miami		The Sopranos		The Sopranos		Dog	
(28)	Videos	Movie: "Ghost"					WGN News at Nine		Sex & City	Scrubs
(32)	The Situation Room		Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		Anderson Cooper 360			

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Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Basketball

Livermore Falls 52, Telstar 44; Feb. 6—Telstar's Louis Thornton, James Kimball and Ryan Kimball each scored 10 points in a loss to Livermore Falls. Thornton and Kimball each had two three-pointers.

High School Boys' J.V. Basketball

Mt. Valley 56, Telstar 33; Jan. 30—Telstar scorers: Jon Sabins 13; Bryce Walker 7; Joel Putnam 7; Ryan Philbrick 4; Kyle Mains 2.

High School Girls' Varsity Basketball

Livermore Falls 52, Telstar 49; Feb. 5—Telstar scorers: Bailey Davis 21; Josie Reiss 12; Megan Smith 7; Brianna Douglass 4; Abby Hutchins 4; Joseline Belanger 1. Davis had three three-pointers and Reiss one.

High School Boys' Alpine Skiing

Slalom at Black Mt., Feb. 3: Yarmouth 17, Edward Little 44, Mt. Valley 46, Freeport 87, Winthrop 91, Telstar 95, Carrabec 121. Winning time: 1:02.82. Telstar finishers: 16. Gavin Lee 1:10.66; 17. Jake DeNormandie 1:11.39; 42. Frankie Delduca 1:25.47.

High School Girls' Alpine Skiing

Slalom at Black Mt., Feb. 3: Yarmouth 19, Telstar 31, Mt. Valley 52, Edward Little 66, Freeport 73. Winning time: 1:08.66. Telstar finishers: 2. Sam Largess 1:11.37; 5. T.J. Cowin 1:14.17; 10. Marion Thurston 1:20.44; 15. Jen DeNormandie 1:23.11; 17. Lindsay James 1:27.72; 19. Whitney James 1:30.77; 25. Peggie DePasquale 1:34.46.

TMS Boys' Varsity Basketball

Livermore Falls 64, Telstar 50; Feb. 1—Telstar's Daniel Vaughn led the team in scoring with 11 points, T.J. O'Connor had eight, while close behind was Josh Bellinger and James Carter with seven each. Telstar outscored Livermore Falls in the 3rd quarter 17-13.

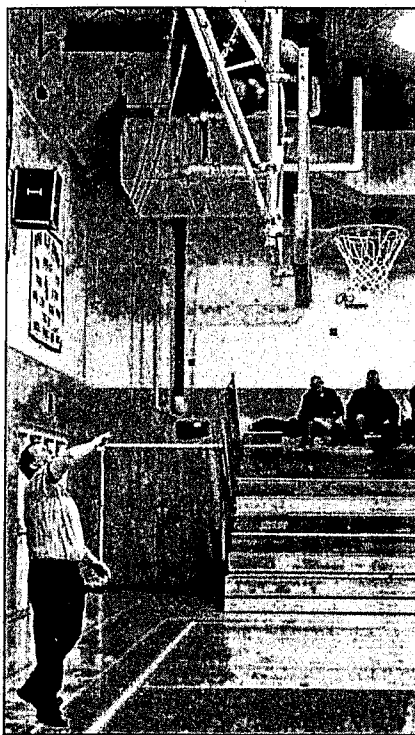
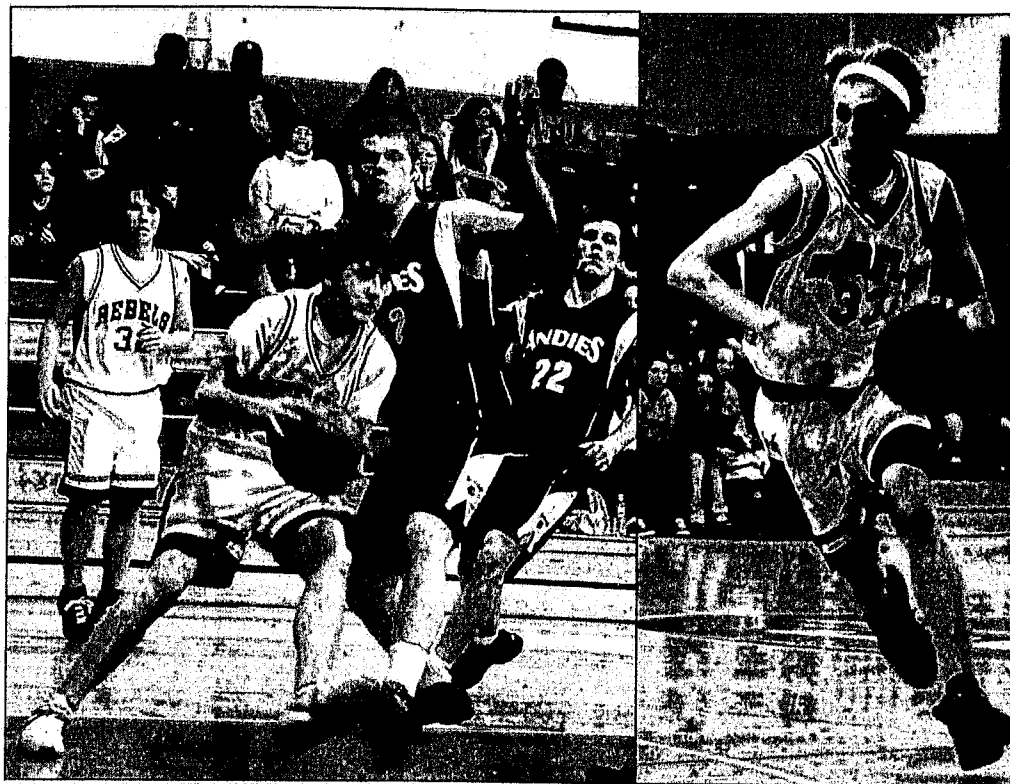
Telstar 47, Carrabec 34; Jan. 31—Telstar's Daniel Vaughn was on fire, ripping off 22pts to lead the team, While Corey Howard tossed in 10pts. Good defense by Elek Pew, James Carter, Josh Bellinger, and TJ O'Connor were keys to the game.

TMS Boys' J.V. Basketball

Livermore Falls 49, 40; Feb. 1—Telstar's Derrick Poland led the scoring charge with 15 points, while Casey Thornton had five. "The team had a never give-up attitude," said coach Tim O'Connor.

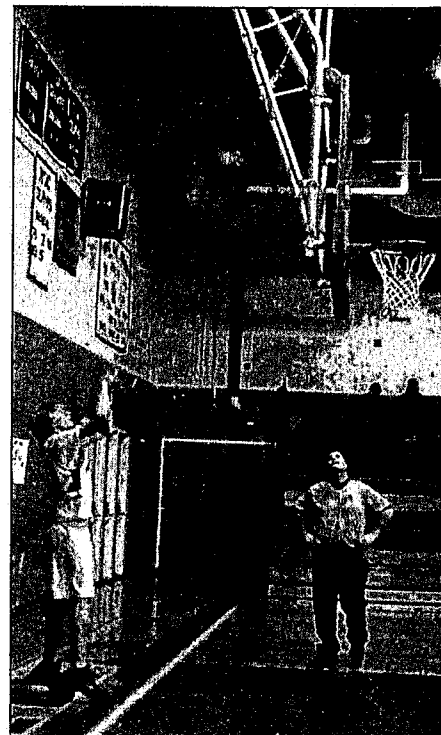
Carrabec 42, Telstar 23; Jan. 31—Telstar's Casey Thornton led the team with six points and Jamie Corey added five.

PASS AND DRIBBLE
The Telstar High School boys' basketball team played Livermore Falls Monday night, coming out on the short end of a 52-44 score. Right, the Rebels' Andy Whitney looks to pass the ball; far right, Matt Zinchuk drives toward the basket.



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At the end of one quarter of Tuesday's game between Telstar and Livermore Falls, a Rebel player launched a shot from midcourt. The ball lodged behind the backboard, and a referee tried unsuccessfully (left) to dislodge it with another ball. Telstar's Joel Putnam (right) then stepped up and knocked the ball loose on his first try, drawing a round of applause from the crowd and thanks from the referee.

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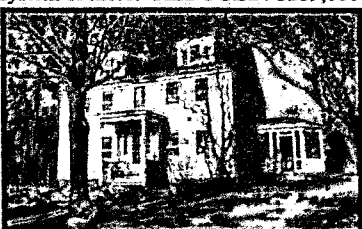


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Selectman - Three Year Term
School Board Member - Three Year Term

To be appointed by the Selectmen in April:

2 Planning Board Members
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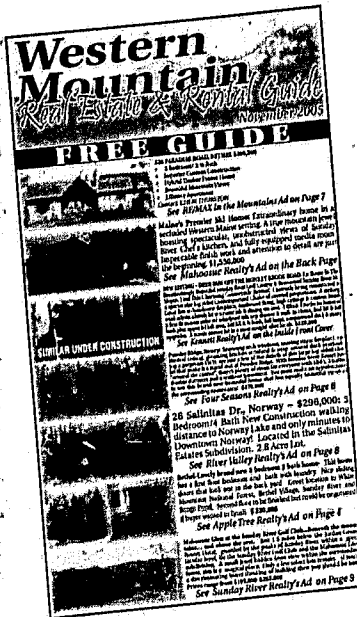
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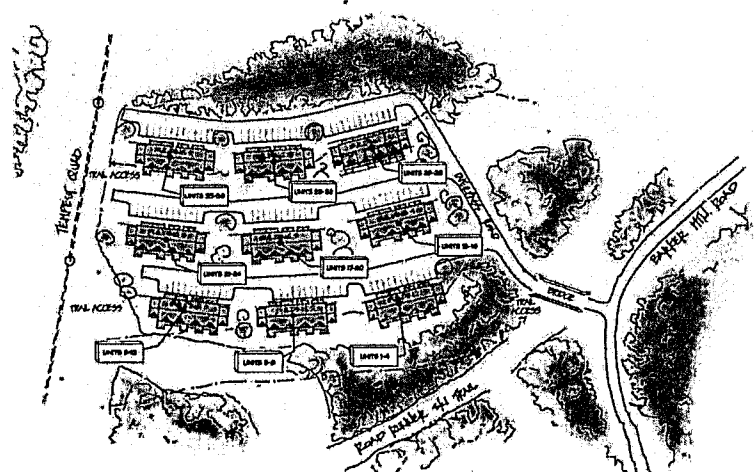
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TEMPEST RIDGE



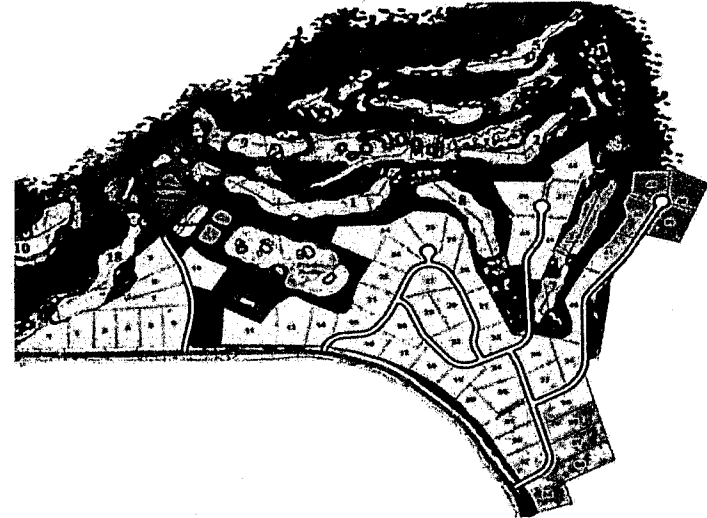
Tempest Ridge Mountain Village is now under construction, marking the first new on-mountain development at Sunday River in a decade. These 36 upscale, three-level mountain town houses will feature three or four bedrooms and will be located on the Tempest and Road Runner trails in the White Cap base area. The first units will be completed in the fall of 2007, with prices starting at \$548,000

MAHOOSUC GLEN

Premier house lots are still available from in the Mahoosuc Glen development at the Sunday River Golf Club. These spectacular home sites are located along the front nine holes of the course. This is a unique opportunity to build a true four-season vacation home with immediate access to some of the best skiing and golf in New England.

HOUSE LOTS:

Lot 39:	\$295,000
Lot 40:	\$235,000
Lot 42:	\$299,000
Lot 44:	\$245,000
Lot 45:	\$279,000
Lot 49:	\$295,000
Lot 51:	PENDING
Lot 52:	\$195,000
Lot 53:	\$195,000
Lot 54:	\$225,000
Lot 56:	\$205,000
Lot 57:	\$205,000
Lot 58:	\$225,000



HOMES

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



42 Goose Eye Drive, Mahoosuc Glen: Spacious, charming home above the hole 8 tees. Along with the spectacular location, this 5 BR/4 bath home features 3,760 square feet, master suite, separate guest quarters and 3-bay garage. \$899,000

SIMILAR TO BE BUILT



Sunday River Road, Riley Plantation: This 3,000 sq. ft. home offers 9 rooms with 3 BRs and 4 baths, and can sleep up to 12. A bunkroom, large mudroom, open floor plan and white oak flooring are just some of the great features of this spectacular home. \$789,900

SIMILAR TO BE BUILT



20 Fairway Drive, Mahoosuc Glen: This 5 BR home on the hole 7 green at the Sunday River Golf Club has views down the fairway. The 3760 sq. ft. of living space includes a master suite, separate guest quarters and 2-bay garage. \$899,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



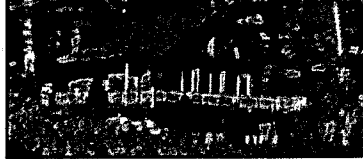
Sunday River Road: This architecturally stunning home features 5 BRs & 4.5 baths, a floor-to-ceiling indoor/outdoor fireplace, floor-to-ceiling windows, 2 master suites, 2 whirlpool tubs, and more. Home interior professionally designed. \$749,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



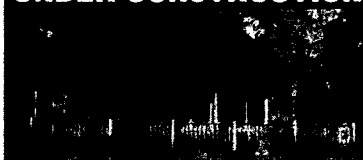
33 Douglass Road, Newry: This Contemporary log home is located in one of Sunday River's premier subdivisions. 3 BRs and 2.75 baths, master suite, stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, hot tub and much more. A must see! \$625,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



4 Franklin Road, Timber Village, Newry: This beautiful log home is less than 2 miles from Sunday River. It features 3 BRs, 2.5 baths, cathedral ceilings, granite counters, maple cabinets, 1st floor master suite, fireplace and finished daylight basement. \$479,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



6 Franklin Road, Timber Village, Newry: Douglas fir log home under construction less than 2 miles from Sunday River. It will feature cathedral ceilings, granite counters, maple cabinets, 1st floor master suite, gas fireplace and hot tub hookup. \$429,900

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



31 Riverwood Drive, Newry: This cozy cabin in the woods has 3504+/- feet of Bear River frontage. This ideal four-season home features 3 bedrooms, including master suite/bath, and 2nd full bath. Outdoor space includes a porch, deck and gazebo. \$425,000

NEW LISTING!



Homes at Bear River, Newry: This log-sided home with farmer's porch is nestled on 4 acres in a subdivision with 260+/- feet of private frontage on the Bear River. This 3-bedroom/2.5-bath home is less than 10 minutes from Grafton Notch State Park and to Sunday River. \$369,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



Homes at Bear River, Newry: This cedar-sided Contemporary home features ample living space and 260+/- feet of private frontage on the Bear River. Perfectly located between Sunday River and Grafton Notch State Park, the expected completion date is mid-March. \$389,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



32 Forest Drive, Bethel: This attractive log-sided home sits on more than 5 acres in a subdivision close to Sunday River. Spacious, with 4 BRs and a finished basement - this home can sleep up to 16 people. Sold fully furnished, including hot tub and pool table. \$355,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



28 Riverwood Drive, Newry: Log-sided Contemporary home with 3 BRs, 3 baths on 3+/- acres in quiet neighborhood. Hot tub, full basement, spacious rooms and stone-encased wood stove in the living room are just some of the features of this quality home. \$340,000

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



6 East Bethel Road, Rumford Point: Lovingly restored 1800 Cape, with wide pine floors, faux-finished wall, original details and screen porch looking over 5 acres. This 3 BR/2 bath home is just minutes from Sunday River, Rumford and Rte. 26. \$269,900

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



1389 Intervale Road, Bethel: This immaculately maintained 3-BR Ranch, with attached one-car garage, is located on a quiet road 6.5 miles from Bethel Village. The perfect year-round or vacation home! \$149,900

UNDER CONSTRUCTION



6 Mill Hill Road, Hanover: Located near Howard Pond and 10 minutes from Sunday River, this 3-BR/1 bath Cottage has refinished hardwood floors, new bathroom and kitchen, a Victorian-detailed porch, and landscaped gardens. \$139,900

RESORT CONDOMINIUMS

BROOKSIDE I & II

II B-213	Studio/1 Bth	\$84,900
II A-203	Studio/1 Bth	\$87,900
II A-212	Studio/1 Bth	\$92,000
II B-115	1 BR/1 Bth	\$125,000
II A-302	1 BR/1 Bth	\$139,000
II B-314	1 BR/1 Bth	\$142,900
I-A-208	2 BR/1 Bth	\$199,900
I B-208	2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
I B-401	2 BR/1 Bth	\$209,900
I B-106	2 BR/1 Bth	\$210,000

SOUTH RIDGE

B-2	2 BR/1.75 Bth	\$275,000
F-1	3 BR/1.75 Bth	\$425,000
B-6	3 BR/1.5 Bth	SOLD
B-4	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

WHITE CAP

A-401	1 BR/1 Bth	\$144,900
B-417	1 BR/1 Bth	\$147,900
B-408	1 BR/1 Bth	\$149,900
B-218	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-405	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
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A-406	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

CASCADES

B-15	Studio/1 Bth	\$88,000
B-16	Studio/1 Bth	\$95,000
A-24	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
B-25	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
C-11	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

LOCKE MOUNTAIN

A-3	3 BR/2.75 Bth	\$525,000
A-8	3 BR/2.75 Bth	SOLD
C-1	3 BR/3.75 Bth	SOLD
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I-1	4 BR/3.5 Bth	SOLD

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NP11-207	2 BR/1 Bth	\$198,500
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NP1-111	2 BR/1 Bth	\$215,000
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E-207	1 BR/1 Bth	\$149,900
W-112	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
E-106	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
S-206	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
N-105	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD

SUNRISE

C-103	1 BR/1 Bth	\$144,900
C-104	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
A-104	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
C-106	1 BR/1 Bth	SOLD
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West Summit Road, Woodstock: This site is just a minute from Rte. 26, 15 minutes to Sunday River, and 10 minutes to Bethel or Mt. Abram. Quiet neighborhood with mountain views. \$29,900

Powder Ridge, Lot 92, Newry: Beautiful 1.13+/- acre lot in the exclusive Powder Ridge subdivision, minutes from Sunday River's world-class skiing and golf. \$92,000

Powder Ridge, Lot 96, Newry: Elevated, nearly 3-acre lot in Powder Ridge neighborhood. Site work completed includes blasting, driveway, underground power. \$295,000

11 Keystone Drive, Newry: 2.22 +/- acre Powder Ridge lot offers views and roughed-in driveway. Two level areas with some sloping offer choice of home location. \$87,000

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• Beautiful Stone Fireplace
• Desirable Location
• Farmers Porch W/ Swing
• Lg. Master Bedroom W/ Bath
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17 KILBORN ST, BETHEL \$209,900

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• Attached 2 Car Garage
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• Fireplace
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227 INTERVALE RD., BETHEL \$230,000

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Lot 33 1.49 Acres \$79,900
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• Master Bedroom W/ Pk Deck
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36 PINE HAVEN LANE, BETHEL \$309,900

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23 BALSAM RD, BETHEL \$178,000

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119 MCCRILLIS BROOK RD., BETHEL \$243,000

• 3 Bedrooms / 2 Bath
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• Daylight Basement
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PRICE REDUCED!

17 MILLS RD, HANOVER \$117,000

• 3 Bedroom/ 1 Bath
• Quiet Hanover Village
• Remodeled Kitchen
• Spacious Living Area
• Deck & One Car Garage
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PRICE REDUCED!

122 EAST ANDOVER RD., RUMFORD \$249,000

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• 22,000 Sq. Ft. Of Living Space
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Schoolhouse Rd, Greenwood: Historic 1859 schoolhouse lovingly renovated into a wonderful 2BR home w/own decks, garage & lg. attic. Fantastic high ceilings, wainscoting, lots of sunny new windows, beautifully appointed & the list of just completed renovations is extensive. 1 lake, ponds, hiking trails & mineral mines are close by, Mt. Abram & Sunday River Resorts are only a few minutes away & you can x country ski & snowmobile right out the door! Located in a nice, quiet spot surrounded by hills, this well insulated all-season home is the perfect peaceful retreat. This one has to be seen to be appreciated. It's beautiful! **\$139,900**



Bell Lane, Greenwood: Just off the road to Mt. Abram Skiway, this 1935 sq ft. colonial with two large garages is perfect for a growing family or group looking for space. Wonderful hardwood floors, separate dining room w/built-in china cabinet, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in family room, 2nd floor laundry & much more. All new replacement windows, beautiful large backyard, new deck off kitchen, new \$10,000 outdoor wood furnace, paved driveway and tons of storage space. Gorgeous lot with a pond, a lake, a river, and a beach! Snowmobile right from the door & view the ski slopes of Mt. Abram at night. Nice, private lot. **\$245,000**



Main Street (Route 26) Bryant Pond: Everyone knows this popular business and now it can be yours! Busy 20-seat diner, pizza parlor, ice cream shop, convenience store being sold along with the 2BR house next door. Take over this successful venture (including equipment) which has a fantastic local food reputation & a location not far from the lake that makes it possible to stop any season of the year. With 275 feet of road frontage on the main route to Bethel, business is very good & ready for a new owner to take it to the next level. Rental income from adjacent house makes the numbers work even better. Inquire today! **\$275,000**



Gore Road, Woodstock: Love the outdoors & looking for open space? This 1 1/2 acre Meadow Lake Valley home on 6 beautiful acres is a spring bird sanctuary w/summer wildflower fields & garden space, min. ridge views w/pond, solar hot water, life floors & a full kitchen. Perfect for winter x-country skiing & snowmobiling right from your door! Expansive south facing windows & 40' screened porch, hardwood floors, 1st floor laundry, beautiful country kitchen w/island, 3BR, 2 baths, master bedroom, mudroom entry, deck & much more. Multiple lakes nearby & only 10 min to Mt. Abram & 15 min to Sunday River. More info available. **\$248,500**



So. Main St., Bryant Pond: Large, pretty 1.6 acre lot, 200 feet of frontage on Rte. 26 and LAKE VIEWS! With TLC and imagination, this "five-car" garage has plenty of potential. Two stories w/4+ BR's, 1 1/2 baths and a detached garage w/structure window which offers retail or office opportunities. Nice stone wall on property & view of Lake Christopher across the street! Walk to village amenities & boat launch. **\$54,900**



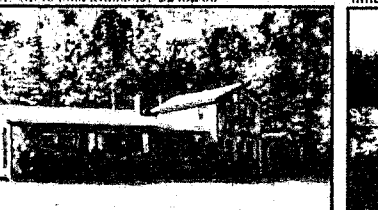
Concord Pond, Woodstock: Perfect vacation & weekend get away or second home! Very nice WATERFRONT camp with sandy beach, flat lawn area & beautiful water views. Wonderful knotty pine interior, large brick hearth, gas firewood stove, fantastic living area w/windows overlooking the pond, gas lights, wired for generator, deck, storage shed and so much more! Property is in great condition, just waiting to be yours. Sale includes gas appliances, generator and a boat! This one will "talk" to you the minute that you see the waterfront & views. **\$175,000**



Rte. 219, Sumner: Nestled in a pin 2BR plus office ranch, complete w/hardwood floors, knotty pine encl. porch, garage, personal and gorgeous 17 acre lot. Beautiful extra large backyard with rolling mountain views, back boundary brook, nicely landscaped w/mature trees & conveniently located within walking distance to town. Very well maintained & nice, solid starter home, or perfect for someone looking for one floor living. Don't drive by this one, call us for a look. **\$119,900**



So. Arm Rd., Andover: Here's the camp you've been waiting for—FURNISHED & over five acres on the rural road to Richardson Lake! Perfect place to base your boat for fishing, and perfect 3BR camp for hunting, snowmobiling and all other recreational activities in this forested area. Nice pine cabinet kitchen & cozy woodstove for those chilly nights. Get away from it all, watch the animals & birds, and make this Andover spot your investment in the "good life". Affordable at **\$89,900**



Farmers Hill Rd., Andover: Words describing this camp are: adorable, meticulously maintained, neat-as-a-pin, homey, country kitchen, comfortable & relaxing. Well & septic on site, nice grassy backyard, concrete foundation, new windows, brick hearth w/woodstove, clay front tub w/corner, screened porch and FURNISHED! Almost 2 acres with an additional 1/2 acre available. This one speaks for itself. See it to appreciate the value. **\$135,000**



Crockett Ridge Rd., Norway: Sunny, large open concept 10 yr. old cape w/room for a large family in a fantastic location on 2.8 acres. Gleaming hardwood floors, wonderful kitchen w/4BR's, 2 full baths, daylight basement w/walkout, hook up & detached 2 car garage. Enjoy the outdoors on the deck overlooking the pond & pool or the porch overlooking open fields & rice stone walls. Price for an immediate sale which means instant equity for you! **\$239,900**



Railroad Street, Bryant Pond: This vintage dwelling on a 1.3 acre town lot is a definite fixer upper, being sold "as is". Also could be a very nice lot for a new house or mobile home. Within walking distance of Lake Christopher, library and convenience stores. **\$39,900**

LAND

GRANDVIEW ESTATES, BETHEL:
A lot with a fantastic view to build the home of your dreams! Within 15 minutes of Bethel or Rumford, this subdivision sits off the peaceful surroundings of a country road. Close to Sunday River & Mt. Abram ski areas and many lakes & ponds are just a few miles away for summer fun. **\$39,000**

POPLAR HILL, MEXICO: Nice corner lot in a quiet neighborhood with some views. Conveniently located just off Rte. 17 for quick access to town, yet far enough to enjoy country living. This one-acre lot is perfect for your new house and the price is right! **\$19,900**

LOTS#2 & #4 BIRCH WOODS, BETHEL: Perfect lots in a perfect location just waiting for your blueprints. Positioned halfway between Bethel & Sunday River Resort, you'll have the best of both worlds! Three miles from downtown dining, shopping & golf one way, and only four miles from jumping on the ski lift the other way! Underground utilities, stone walls, excellent lay-out & soon-to-be paved roads make each of these 2 acre lots premiere. **\$80,000 each**

MOODY MOUNTAIN, WOODSTOCK: Almost 15 acres with stunning views of the Presidential Range, including Mount Washington! Just up the road from North Pond, this parcel of land is convenient to area lakes & just a few minutes to either Mt. Abram Skiway or Sunday River Resort. Pick your spot to build & amazing westerly sunsets over the mountains are yours with this large lot! **\$99,900**

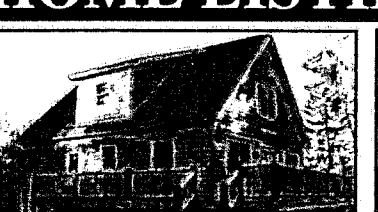
HAYES ROAD, NO. NORWAY: Located on the Greenwood town line, this 82 acre country lot can only be described as a spectacular parcel of land! Cleared fields, stone walls, wonderful views & lots of potential for development. Easy access from town-maintained road & power is at street. Must be seen to be truly appreciated! **\$299,900**

LOTS#12 & #13 WESTSIDE I, MT. ABRAM: These 2 great lots are just up the road from Westside Ski Lodge & Mt. Abram Skiway is just a minute away. Snowboarding, downhill skiing, snow tubing and snowmobiling just outside your door. Lots are both located on a town-maintained dirt road with good frontage, power at street & septic designs all done. POSSIBLE OWNER FINANCING! **\$39,900 each**

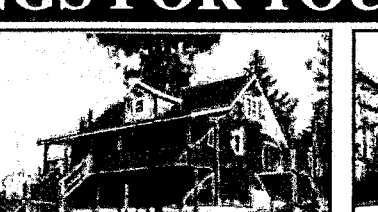
OUR LOG HOME LISTINGS FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION:



Flaherty Lane, just off Bethel's Vernon St.: This new house is finished & waiting for its lucky new owners. Only 1/2 mile from downtown Bethel, drive down Vernon St. to the house. 2 bath log sided home w/hardwood & real tile flooring, fantastic stone kitchen & 1st floor laundry. Huge 875 square foot deck for entertaining and a large walk out day light basement for future expansion make this house a great value. All on a nice 1.26 acre gently sloping landscaped & wooded lot and only 8 miles from Sunday River Ski & Golf Resort. This is Maine living at its best! **\$249,900**



Near Westside Lodge, Mt. Abram, Greenwood: Within walking distance of Mt. Abram's Westside Lodge, this brand new log sided chalet is the perfect place for all winter sports, spring skiing, summer lake activities just down the road, and fall hiking thru the foliage. Large deck for entertaining, stone fireplace, chilly nights. 3BR's, 2 full baths, sunny & open rooms make this Andover spot your investment in the "good life". Affordable at **\$89,900**



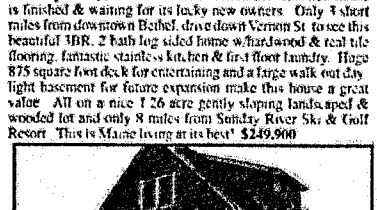
Paradise Rd., Bethel: New! 1000 sq ft. in a fantastic location. This is a great find! New 2BR log sided home w/capable, your attention. Beautiful kitchen w/wood & tile in a nice home. Stainless appliances, granite natural wood throughout, done fireplace, tiled bath, large w/wooden custom closets & wrap-around deck w/log railings. New open house and soon for expansion in the walkout basement. Just minutes from downtown Bethel & close to Sunday River for skiing & The Bethel Inn for a great night! This house is a true beauty. So give us a call. **\$249,000**



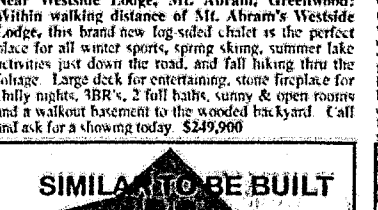
Hillside-Away Hills, Bethel: Located just below the entrance into downtown Bethel, this brand new house is a true beauty. A true beauty for shopping, dining, golf & more. A true beauty for a large deck overlooking the pond & pool or the porch overlooking open fields & rice stone walls. Price for an immediate sale which means instant equity for you! **\$239,900**



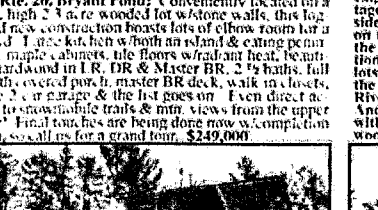
Long Cabin Lane, Greenwood: Located on Rte. 219 just off the road to Mt. Abram Skiway, this 1935 sq ft. colonial with two large garages is perfect for a growing family or group looking for space. Wonderful hardwood floors, separate dining room w/built-in china cabinet, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in family room, 2nd floor laundry & much more. All new replacement windows, beautiful large backyard, new deck off kitchen, new \$10,000 outdoor wood furnace, paved driveway and tons of storage space. Gorgeous lot with a pond, a lake, a river, and a beach! Snowmobile right from the door & view the ski slopes of Mt. Abram at night. Nice, private lot. **\$245,000**



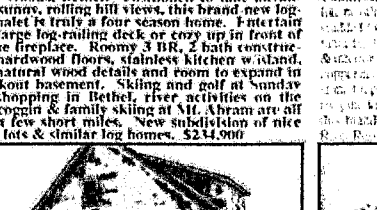
Timberline, Sunday River Slopeside, Newry: Unparalleled on-mountain location & trail views from this 4300+ sq ft. log lodge currently under construction. Magnificent, overly spacious 5BR, 5 bath grand home, including 2 master suites, 3 fireplaces, loft area, family/game room, wet bar, mudroom, att'd garage & 70' entertaining deck overlooking the slopes & mt. views! Soaring cathedral ceilings w/fireplace in the open concept great room lead to the stunning cook's kitchen w/granite & high-end amenities including a huge walk-in pantry. Lot is nicely wooded for privacy & beauty, yet within walking distance to the ski lifts & The Phoenix. Spectacular offering like no other! **\$992,000**



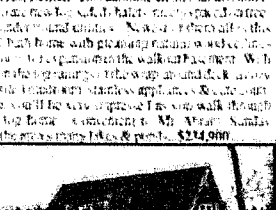
South Pond Shores, Greenwood: New chalet on over 7 acres with DEEDED IN ACCESS to South Pond, a large beach and a boat dock! Log sided construction with lots of glass. 3BR's, 2 baths stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings, stainless kitchen, large deck w/log railings & room to expand in the walkout daylight basement. This price, extra large corner acreage has a view to the road that leads to Mt. Abram Skiway. Bethel & Sunday River Resort are only a few short miles away. Still time to make lay-out decisions & pick paint colors, we come sit with us and preview the blueprints. **\$350,000**



Paradise Rd., Bethel: New! 1000 sq ft. in a fantastic location. This is a great find! New 2BR log sided home w/capable, your attention. Beautiful kitchen w/wood & tile in a nice home. Stainless appliances, granite natural wood throughout, done fireplace, tiled bath, large w/wooden custom closets & wrap-around deck w/log railings. New open house and soon for expansion in the walkout basement. Just minutes from downtown Bethel & close to Sunday River for skiing & The Bethel Inn for a great night! This house is a true beauty. So give us a call. **\$249,000**



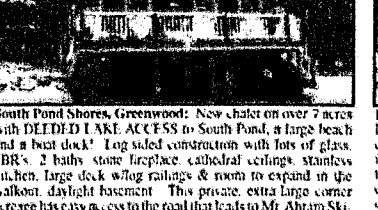
Hillside-Away Hills, Bethel: Located just below the entrance into downtown Bethel, this brand new house is a true beauty. A true beauty for shopping, dining, golf & more. A true beauty for a large deck overlooking the pond & pool or the porch overlooking open fields & rice stone walls. Price for an immediate sale which means instant equity for you! **\$239,900**



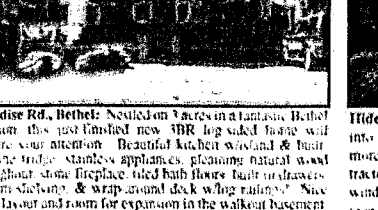
Long Cabin Lane, Greenwood: Located on Rte. 219 just off the road to Mt. Abram Skiway, this 1935 sq ft. colonial with two large garages is perfect for a growing family or group looking for space. Wonderful hardwood floors, separate dining room w/built-in china cabinet, brick fireplace in living room, brick hearth in family room, 2nd floor laundry & much more. All new replacement windows, beautiful large backyard, new deck off kitchen, new \$10,000 outdoor wood furnace, paved driveway and tons of storage space. Gorgeous lot with a pond, a lake, a river, and a beach! Snowmobile right from the door & view the ski slopes of Mt. Abram at night. Nice, private lot. **\$245,000**



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English Woods Drive, Bethel: Looking for a new log sided home w/fantastic views? Look no further—this is the one. Hardwood & tiled floors, upgraded stainless appliances, kitchen island w/wine fridge, surround sound, gas stone fireplace, enclosed porch, partially finished walkout basement and mountain views from the glass front & deck that you will just love. Pretty new subdivision off the Intervale Rd. is an easy few miles to downtown Bethel & Sunday River Resort. Also nearby are river, lake and Mt. Abram Ski Area recreation. Completion date is soon so call us to take a look. **\$259,900**



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WALKING DISTANCE TO BETHEL
Great primary or secondary home, spacious, walk to town, nice screened porch, hardwood floors, garage and heated out-building, rental history available. \$199,000



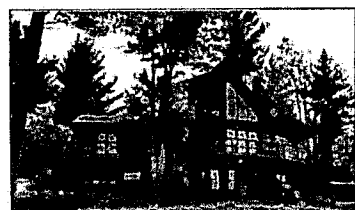
NEW LOG SIDED HOME
Currently under construction, finished late 2006, 3 BR log-sided home just south of downtown Bethel and 15 mins. to skiing and golf at Sunday River. Unfinished daylight bsmt with potential for additional BR or family room. \$239,000



PAMPERED CAPE
Attractive 3-bedroom cape, partially finished walk out basement, brick fireplace. Oak floors in open kitchen/dining area. 1st floor bedroom. Nice quiet lot near the Androscoggin River about 5 miles from in town Bethel. \$232,000



OWN A TOWNHOUSE IN BETHEL VILLAGE
One of a kind property located within walking distance of town amenities. Across the street from the Bethel Inn Golf Course. Easy walk to Gould Academy. \$219,000



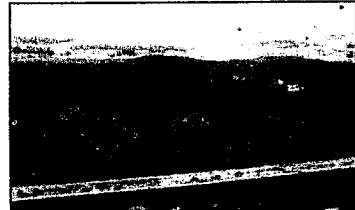
AMAZING VIEWS
Beautiful 3 bedroom Lincoln Log home with fieldstone fireplace, cherry cabinets, hardwood floors, tile and heated 2 bay garage. Situated on 10 private acres with westerly views. An outdoor enthusiast's dream. \$520,000



HISTORIC FARMHOUSE
Historic landmark home with large post and beam barn, guest house, blacksmith shop, 3 car garage all on 57+/- scenic acres with 1000+/- feet of frontage on the Swift River, and a farm pond. \$785,000



MAHOOSUC GLEN SUBDIVISION
Awesome Mahoosuc Glen lot located on the 18th hole with beautiful views and prime location! Sale includes 1 lifetime golf membership to Sunday River Golf Club. \$229,000



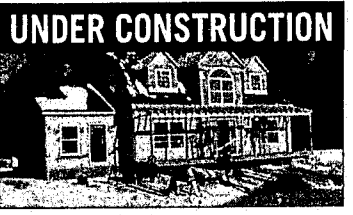
STARVIEW-ON TOP OF THE WORLD
22 acre retreat w/ breathtaking views of Bethel & surrounding mtns. Well-built camp w/ solar energy, wood stoves, generator, & electric on site. Unfinished walkout basement & garage foundation. Lease revenue being collected \$325,000



HISTORIC WATERFORD HOME
Spacious historic home in the Village of Waterford. Eight bedrooms plus master bedroom suite. Wonderful new kitchen well designed kitchen. Retail space currently used for quilt shop. Formerly a B&B with fine dining. \$479,500



MAYVILLE JUNCTION
Highly visible commercial location situated on Mayville Road en route to Sunday River. 1,500 square feet with ample parking, central air and half bath. Also newly constructed luxury condominium located along the Mountain Explorer route in Bethel. Bamboo and tile flooring, stainless steel appliances, gas fireplace, large deck, open floorplan with cathedral ceilings. Starting at \$249,000



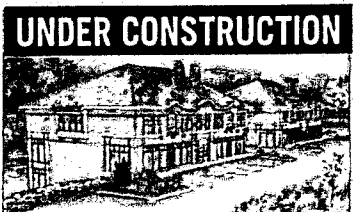
MARTINS COUNTRY HOMES
Awesome new home to be built - 2 master suites plus 2 additional bedrooms and 1.5 additional baths. Hardwood floors throughout, tile upgrades, fireplace, mud room all with great views of White Heat. Hot tub, appliances included. \$399,000



COTTAGE STYLE HOME
Custom built home with many attractive features. Open kitchen/living area with cathedral ceiling. Tile floors, custom beadboard and cherry kitchen cabinets. Very energy efficient.. \$169,500



BUSINESS VENTURE
Melby's General Store, a historical landmark since 1860's! Inviting to visitors & locals alike, boasts great food, hunting & fishing licenses, groceries, deli and ice cream. Income potential from 3 apartments & restaurant. Stop in! \$479,900



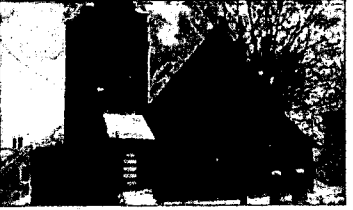
THE PARKWAY
New residential/commercial condominium to be built on The Parkway. Commercial units are approximately 2000 square feet. Residential units feature 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace, deck. Starting at \$180,000



LOTS ON MOUNTAIN VIEW ROAD
Two lots privately situated at the end of the cul de sac on Mountain View Road. Excellent location minutes from Sunday River Skiway and Sunday River Golf Course. \$99,900



SUNDAY RIVER SKI HOUSE
Great 3 bedroom 2 bath ski house, ride to the lifts and local amenities on the free shuttle in the winter, lots of storage, game/bonus room on lower level. Most furnishings included. \$209,000



VICTORIAN CHURCH
Victorian style church built in the 1800's. Numerous possibilities exist for this architectural treasure. Some renovations have been completed. \$65,000



CAMERON HOUSE CONDOMINIUMS
Walk to schools, parks and golf course! 6 renovated units located in downtown Bethel walking distance to all village amenities including the Mountain Explorer. Unique 1-3 bedroom units. Porches, decks, granite countertops, wood and tile floors. Starting at \$129,000



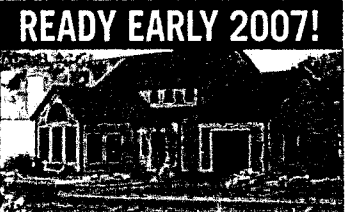
BEAUTIFUL MOUNTAIN VIEWS
Mount Washington and Bethel village views from this 40+ acre lot. Electricity at street, association maintained road. Potential for split or development after July, 2007. \$143,500



A TRUE LOG CABIN
A true log home with southerly views of Evan's Notch. Open plan, large deck, cathedral ceilings and a walkout daylight bsmt waiting for your finishing touches. Minutes from Sunday River. Hike, bike and snow shoe right out your door. \$329,000

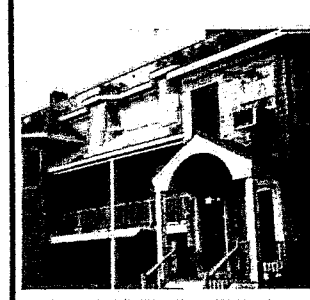


WONDERFUL FARMHOUSE STYLE
Nearly new maintenance free home in a quiet subdivision close to town and all season activities. Two farmer's porches, bamboo flooring, brick fireplace, built ins, 9' ceilings, tile, spacious family room, 2 garage. A must see. \$539,000



READY EARLY 2007!
TWITCHELL BROOK ESTATES
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SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES: 3 bedroom 2 baths near mountain condominium. \$249,000
5 BARKER BROOK: 2 bedroom/1 1/4 bath, near mountain condominium, partially furnished. \$234,900
309 NORTH PEAK II: 2 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. \$215,000
306 NORTH PEAK I: 2 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. \$215,000
18 EDEN RIDGE: 2 bedroom/1 1/4 bath townhouse. Furnished, great views, HW floors, close to town. \$189,500
C105 SUNRISE: 1 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Fully furnished. \$139,500
BROOKSIDE II: 1 bedroom/1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views. \$139,500
#9 PLEASANT RIVER: 2 bedroom/1 bath West Bethel condominium. \$138,000
RIVERBEND Minutes from the lift, 1 bdrm/1 bath on bus route. \$135,000
WHITE CAP Ski to your door renovated 1/1 fully furnished. \$132,500
#5 PLEASANT RIVER: 2 bedroom/1 bath West Bethel condominium. \$128,000
RIVERBEND: 1 bedroom/1 bath condominium, furnished close to Sunday River, on shuttle route. \$128,000
CASCADES: Studio unit/1 bath slopeside condominium. Great views, fully furnished. \$128,000
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INTERVALE ROAD, BETHEL

10 LOTS AVAILABLE
2.25-5.5 ACRES
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MEADOW VIEW ESTATES
BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY

8 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.20-1.70 ACRES
\$60,000-\$94,900

ELLINGWOOD MOUNTAIN
NORTH ROAD, BETHEL

6 LOTS AVAILABLE
1.61-2.88 ACRES
\$60,000-\$80,000

LAND

Awesome Paradise Lot: 1.0 acres.....\$249,000
Development Potential: 70 acres.....\$175,000
Sunday River Lot: 2 Acres.....\$150,000
Lot 2 Sunday River Road.....\$150,000
Mt. Washington Views: 40+ acres.....\$143,500
Paradise Road Views: 2 acres.....\$139,900
Webb River Waterfront Lot: 8.9 acres.....\$130,000
Lot 1 Sunday River Road.....\$125,000
Albany: 42.95 acres.....\$100,000
Red House Farm Village.....SOLD
Mountain View Road Newry 7.9 acres cul-de-sac.....\$99,900
Picnic Hill Rd Views: 40 acres.....\$95,000
Exceptional South Pond Lot: 5.04 acres.....\$94,900
Private lot with view: 27 acres.....\$93,000
In town building lot on Paradise .50 acre.....\$80,000
Chestnut Knoll 6.0 acres.....\$79,500
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Sunday River Lot: 46 acres.....\$69,900
Beautiful Westerly Views: 2.84 acres.....\$68,900
Bird Hill Road: 2.84 acres.....\$65,000
Sunday Valley Acres: 62 acres.....\$62,900
Milton Plantation Scenic Lot: 34 acres.....\$59,000
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Bird Hill Lot: 12 acres.....\$50,000
North Road Views: 1.1 acres.....\$29,000

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GREENWOOD

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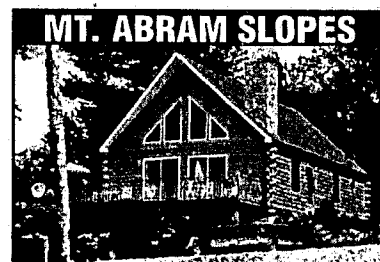
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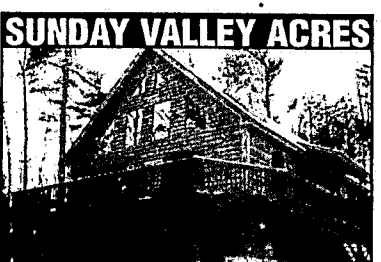
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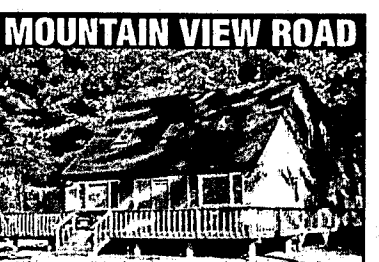
MT. ABRAM SLOPES
GREENWOOD: Newly Constructed Log Sided Chalet With Ski-In/Ski-Out Access to Mt. Abram trails!!! Featuring rich wood int., GR w/cathedral ceiling, fireplace, spacious kitchen w/private bath, & an add'l 1st flr BR suite w/private bath, & an add'l 1st flr BR & bath. The cozy loft provides a 3rd BR Suite w/private bath & Reading Nook. Offering Scenic mtn vista views from the large wrap-around deck, & w/in close proximity to 2 area ski resorts & many local lakes & ponds, this home provides plenty of opportunities for yr rmd use & enjoyment. An outstanding package!!! \$349,000



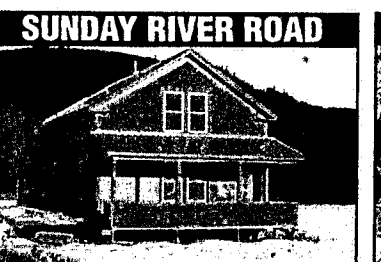
BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY CAPE
NEW LISTING: FLAT RD AREA: Upon Approaching this Quintessential Countryside where open green fields gracefully give way to impressive mountain vistas come across this absolutely meticulous 1992 Cape. An all important open concept Kitchen/Rm w/high ceilings, pine cabinetry, specialty island, wood flooring, custom shelving, masonry hearth w/cozy woodstove & provision pantry all feeding the soul. An absolute treat to view, throughout 2,596/- sqft of Liv Rm w/hardwood flooring, adjoining Den, formal Dining Rm, spacious & scenic sunroom, 3BR, 2Baths, Full Basement & Garage. 2+/- acres featuring a large yard, 2 decks, beautiful fenced in garden areas & a zebra. A most Charming Home Indeed! \$359,000



SUNDAY VALLEY ACRES
SUNDAY VALLEY ACRES OFF THE SUNDAY RIVER ROAD: Only minutes to Sunday River Ski Resort find this charming neighborhood of rustic attractive ski chalets. Among the most striking of homes nestled amidst hardwood is this 2005 Contemporary Chalet offering an ample floor plan. Lovely GR w/impressive stone fireplace, eye catching windows, 3BRs inclusive of a master suite w/walk-in closet & bath, Loft area, pine walls & floors, wrap-around deck, and garage....The Ideal getaway at \$319,900



MOUNTAIN VIEW ROAD
NEWRY: Among The Most Coveted of Locales requested by prospective purchasers is this well established subdivision off the Monkey Brook Rd leading to the new Mahoosuc Glen Golf Course, eating establishments and renowned ski trails at Sunday River Ski Resort. A brand new offering is now available on the Mtn View Rd, comprised of an open concept contemporary Chalet w/winner metal roof & wrap-around deck, 3 BRs, 2 Baths, Full Basement, Alt'd Garage. Priced To Move at \$299,000!



SUNDAY RIVER ROAD
NEWRY: This vintage restored & renovated Cape is perched amidst a scenic mtn backdrop w/Views of White Heat. Less than one minute to Sunday River lodges the location of this Sunny 2+/- acre parcel is outstanding. Freshly painted throughout, new metal ceilings, warm LR, adj. DR, country Kit, 2 Baths, 2 BRs PLUS loft area, & attached BARN. So whether you're searching for a cozy dwelling or a newly renovated getaway locale this offering must be considered. Exceptionally Priced at \$299,000!



CUSTOM HOME
BETHEL: Sunny Silhouettes of Nearby Mountains bordered by open, green fields naturally serve as the perfect backdrop for this home site an ideal setting indeed for this well appointed house which has been lovingly maintained & afforded extensive renovations through a very comfortable living, an ample Living Rm w/fireplace, media rm, lower lvl tavern rm, 3 BRs, 1 Bath & a country kitchen w/custom cabinets, corian countertops & ceramic tiling back in the warmth of an adjoining sun-filled sunroom. Showcasing a premier's paradise, enjoy the beauty of graceful trees & flowering perennials which are nurtured by a state of the art irrigation system! Add to this an in-ground pool coupled w/a location ideal for many home occupations, close to village, skways, rivers & lakes & you've The Ideal Place To Rest Your Hat \$229,900



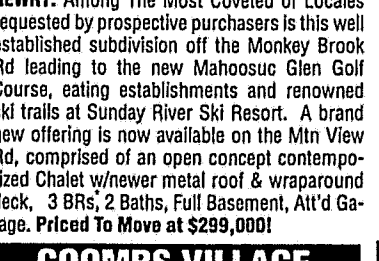
NEW CONSTRUCTION
BETHEL: Currently Under Construction is This Charming 3 Bedroom Ranch Home. Situated on a quiet lot within minutes of Mt. Abram Ski Resort & within close proximity to the Bethel Village & Sunday River. The layout consists of a large living area, Kitchen w/formal dining area, laundry room, 3 bedrooms inclusive of a large master & 2 shared baths. Don't Miss Out On This Affordable Brand New home! Offered at \$199,900



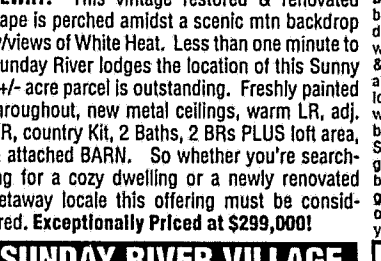
CLOSE TO SKIING!
LOVELY 3 BEDROOM RANCH situated on 5.3 acres with a 2 car garage, enroute to Richardson Lake. Within close proximity to ski resorts & amenities. Makes this a wonderful find at just \$175,000



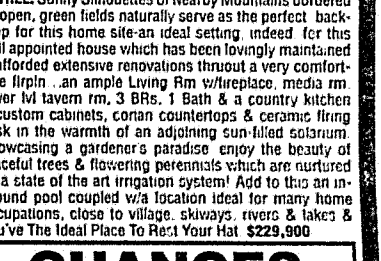
GREAT VIEWS
BEAR RIVER ROAD, NEWRY: Situated atop a small knoll overlooking a panoramic mountain vista, find this 3-4 BR ranch w/comfortable living areas featuring a large LR, all new Kit w/custom cabinetry, mstr BR suite w/private bath. Partially finished daylight basement & private fenced yard. Enjoy the scenic mtn backdrops & out-your-door recreational activities while being conveniently located only 10 miles to Bethel Village amenities and within 10 minutes to skiing/golf at Sunday River Ski Resort. A Must See at \$199,000!!



COOMBS VILLAGE
NEW LISTING - Affordable 4 Bedroom Home Nestled in Coombs Village at Sunday River. You are only minutes away from the slopes with the prime location of this home. The spacious 4 bedroom make this the perfect place to entertain your family and friends! \$298,000



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE
SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE-Situated on a 1+/- acre parcel, you'll marvel at this architectural gem showcasing 4 exceptional levels of living space. Suitable to accommodate the largest of gatherings, a fascinating floor plan is enlightened w/an array of sun-filled windows, GR w/ maple flooring, privately sit'd 2nd story master quarters w/sought after ski trail views. In all, 3 BRs, 3.5 Baths, Laundry, FR, workshop, 2 car garage, deck, screened porch and so much more. Offered at an incredible price of \$529,000!!



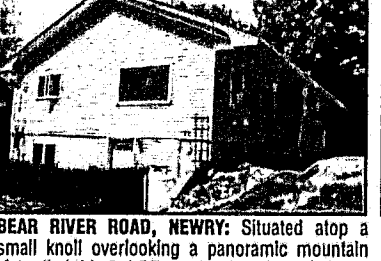
MINUTES TO BETHEL VILLAGE
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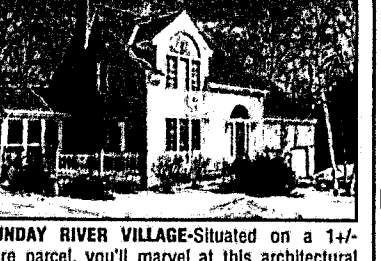
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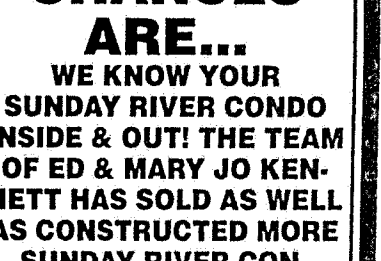
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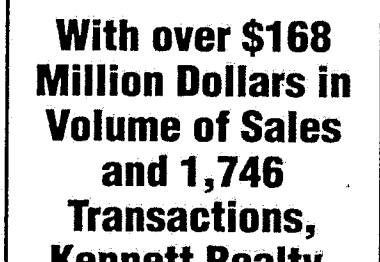


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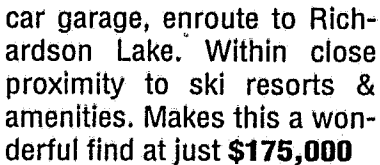


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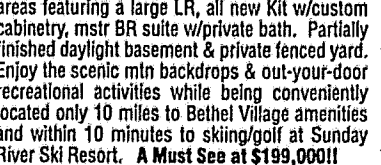
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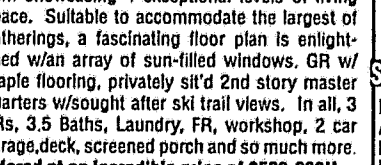
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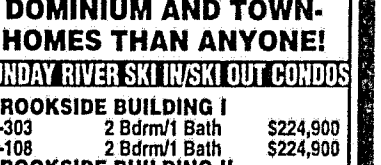
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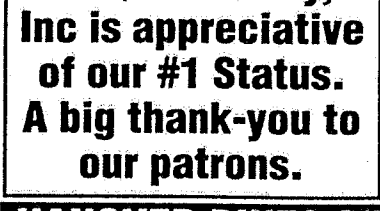
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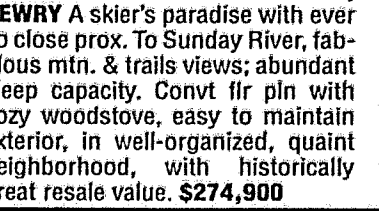
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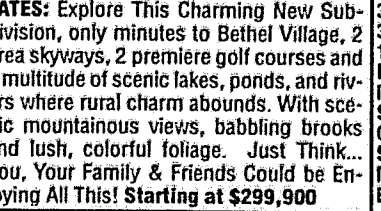
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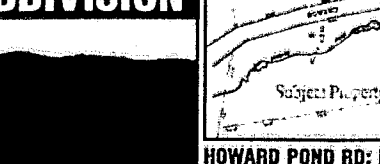
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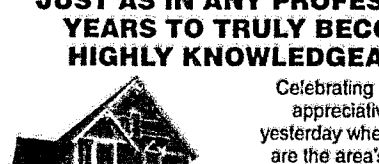
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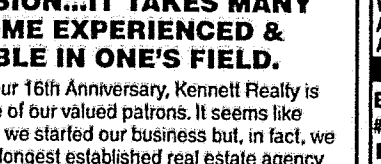
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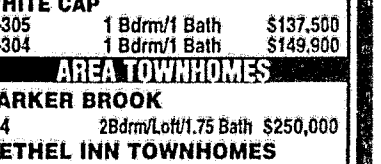
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Obituaries

LOTTIE KNOWLES

Lottie Knowles, 92, of Dixfield, died Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, 2007 at the Victorian Villa Living Center, Canton, where she had resided since September.

She was born Oct. 9, 1914, in Bethel, a daughter of John and Willimina (O'Leary) Nowlin. She was educated in Bethel schools and married Oscar Knowles, who predeceased her in 1954. For 21 years, she was employed at Livermore Shoe.

Her greatest pleasure in life came from dancing on Saturday nights, something that she did well into her 90s. She also enjoyed sewing, cooking, reading and visiting with family.

She is survived by a son, Richard Knowles and his wife Linda of Dixfield; a daughter, June Legere and her husband Wallace of Dixfield; two brothers, Kenneth Nowlin and Clyde Nowlin, both of Harrison; two sisters, Florence Morgan of Bethel and Barbara Casey of Mexico; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a special friend, Merrill Frank; three brothers, Carl, John and Raymond Nowlin; and four sisters, Marjorie Nowlin, Rena Powers, Grace Bartlett and Eva Lane.

Card of Thanks

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Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, Feb. 3, at the Wiles Remembrance Center, Dixfield with winter entombment at the funeral home and spring burial on Friday, May 11, at 10 a.m. at Lakeview Cemetery, Wilton. Online condolences may be sent to wiles-funeralhomes@verizon.net.

DAVID ARROW

David Arrow, 82, died suddenly at home in Bethel on Saturday Feb. 3, 2007.

He was born March 15, 1924 in Newark, NJ and graduated from Irvington High School and Newark College of Engineering.

He married his high school sweetheart Gloria on Jan. 12, 1946 who survives him. They just celebrated their 61st anniversary.

David retired to Maine in 2000 to be with his beloved daughter and son-in-law, Amy & Ed Yasko and grandchildren Melissa, Jessica & Cassandra. He also leaves a dearly loved daughter and son-in-law Marcy and Steve Gilroy of Sarasota Florida and grandchildren Samantha, Matthew, Kimberly and Zackary.

WALKER OBITUARY

The family of Allan E. Walker regret they omitted several family members from Allan's recent obituary: Survivors include three brothers, Mark of Portland, Dean of Tacoma, Wash., and Craig and wife Betsy of Antioch, Tenn.; a niece Melissa of Farmington and several cousins.

Weddings



Mr. & Mrs. Nathan N. Wight

George and Danna Nickerson and John and Susan Wight are pleased to announce the marriage of their children, Kate R. Nickerson and Nathan N. Wight, on Sept. 23, 2006. The ceremony took place beside the brook near the couple's home in Bolsters Mills. An outdoor reception followed at the home of the groom's grandparents, Norman and Ruth Wight.

Erin Mowery, friend of the couple performed the ceremony, and Linnie Wight, the couple's dog, greeted the guests as they arrived. Tammy Morris, friend of the bride, and John Cooley, friend of the groom served as witnesses.

The couple enjoyed a two-part honeymoon, spending time on the coast of Maine, and then salmon fishing in upstate New York.

Kate is employed as community relations coordinator at Stephens Memorial Hospital, and Nate, a Registered Maine Guide, works at Sun Valley Sports in Bethel.



Mr. & Mrs. Parker Gray

Jennifer Moore and Parker Gray were united in marriage Aug. 5, 2006 at the North Newry Church. The ceremony was performed by the groom's mother, Sylvia Gray. The bride was attended by Shanna Walker as her maid of honor, Wendy Bernier, and her brother, Nate Moore. Standing up with Parker were his best man, Doug Horn, and friends Jerry Bernier and Matt Roma.

A garden reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Marc and Leslie Moore in West Greenwood.

During the winter months, the couple resides in Killington, Vt. Parker is head coach for the men's alpine team, and Jennifer teaches photography at Killington Mountain School. In the summer months, they come home to their house in Newry.

Births

Sasha Fritz and Joel Mills of Bethel are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Skye Hannah Mills, born on Dec. 29, 2006 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 8 pounds, 15 ounces.

Maternal grandparent is Terry Sheffield of Woodstock.

Paternal grandparents are Cyndi Mills, Keith Davis, Randy Mills, Joyce McAllister of Bethel.

Stacey Walker and William Cashin III of South Paris are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Tehya LeeAnne Cashin, born on Jan. 7, 2007 at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway, weighing, 8 pounds.

Maternal grandparents are Laone Leonard and Roger Leonard of South Paris.

Paternal grandparents are William Cashin Jr. and Ruby Cashin of South Paris.

Raymond and Ria Higby are happy to announce the birth of their son, Ethan Zachary Higby, born on Dec. 21, 2006.

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